

Hub May Arrest 9 Men in H. C. L. War

Hub's War On H. C. L. Starts With Eight Big Firms Indicted and Nine Men May Be Arrested Today

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Indictments against nine individuals and eight corporations in connection with the investigation of the high cost of living by the Suffolk grand jury were announced by District Attorney Pelletier today. The names of the individuals will not become public until arrests on the indictment warrants are made.

The corporations indicted in each instance for keeping foodstuffs in cold storage more than a year, were: Boston Fish Pier Co., five counts, involving 125,000 pounds of fresh fish; Bay State Fishing Co., 10,467 pounds of fresh fish; John Burns Co., 815 pounds of fresh fish; Hyde Wheeler Co., 50,000 pounds of fresh meat; Ginter Co., 1450 pounds of fresh meat; Bay Fish Co., 450 pounds of fresh fish; Harris Poorvu Co., six counts, involving quantities of egg products; Cassius Hunt Co., 1865 pounds of fresh fish.

The district attorney announced that in the course of the inquiry it was discovered that dealers had made it a practice to keep foodstuffs in cold storage in one state for a year, then move them to another state for the legal period and transfer them again elsewhere. Large quantities of food which have been in cold storage in another state have recently been moved here, the district attorney said, adding that the evidence in this case will be presented to the grand jury when it convenes.

Evidence obtained by the state commission on the necessities of life in its investigation of ice prices and supplies, and other articles also will be made available to the grand jury. The district attorney said he had received information that dealers who had purchased army food in some districts had resold it at a considerable profit, and said these complaints would be investigated to determine whether any criminal action was involved.

In unpacking the car which arrived here Saturday, it was discovered today that there was no corn in the order, although Mayor Perry D. Thompson had asked for a supply of it. Evidently the demand for corn has been so brisk that the government's supply has been depleted. However, there will be on sale tomorrow canned peas at 10 cents per can, or \$2.40 for a case of 24 cans; tomatoes at 12 cents per can, or \$2.88 per case, and large and small size cans of corned beef at 55 and 30 cents per can, respectively.

In several of yesterday's Boston papers it was reported that no more food was to be sold by the government to municipalities as it was planned to confine the distribution solely to post-office channels. Upon being informed of this today, Mayor Thompson immediately got in touch with the state supply officer in Boston and learned that the statements were erroneous to a certain extent. The officer said that at present the supply of food which has been declared surplus is limited, but that more is expected in a short time. There has not yet been any official statement to the effect that the postoffices were to be the only agents of distribution.

Tomorrow's sale will be conducted along the same general lines as that of the first sale here on August 11. N. W. Goodall will be in general charge of the sale for the Red Cross and a corps of women from the Red Cross will act as clerks. If the crowd warrants it, a line will be formed and each customer will pass to a table where samples will be arrayed. The lady here will take the order, give the customer a check with the amount of the sale stamped on it on both the upper and lower parts and the customer will then continue down the room to pay the cashier. He will be given a receipt and when this is presented further along the line of tables, his order will be given out to him.

Robbers Get \$12,000
Hub Bank Messenger Relieved of Bread Money by Four Men in Taxi

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Ray Scott Guernsey, a bank messenger employed by the Fidelity Trust company, was held up today by four men who stole \$12,000 which he was taking to the bank from the office of the Grocers' Baking company, in the Roxbury district.

Guernsey was in a taxicab and had just driven through the gates at the baking plant when four men climbed aboard the machine. One of them took his seat beside the chauffeur, Nicholas J. Volpe and pressing a revolver to his head, ordered him to drive down the street and make no outcry. The other three men entered the cab and forced Guernsey to hand over the money which he had just collected from the baking company for deposit in the bank.

After driving some distance, the man on the front seat forced Volpe to get out of the machine while the robber took charge of the wheel. A little further on Guernsey was thrown out and the four men made off in the taxicab. The holdup occurred shortly before noon but so far as the police were able to learn, no one in the vicinity noticed what was taking place. All the men were armed but did not wear masks and Guernsey was able to give a good description of them. The money is said to have been largely in cash and checks.

BIG FOOD SALE HERE TOMORROW

Everything in Readiness for Sale of Canned Goods at Red Cross Work Room

Will Continue From 5 to 9 P. M.—No Corn, But Peas, Tomatoes and Corned Beef

Lowell housekeepers will have another chance to purchase government surplus army food at reduced prices tomorrow at 5 p. m. when a second carload of edibles will be placed on sale at the workroom of the Red Cross in Market street under municipal auspices. The sale will continue from 5 to 9 p. m., these hours being chosen to give industrial workers an opportunity to take advantage of the low price inducements offered.

Lowell's young men continue to sign up for the U.S.S. North Dakota, the big dreadnought now at Rockport. Chief Gray of the local naval recruiting station forwarded six local men to the ship today, as well as four from Chelmsford, two from Haverhill and one from Lawrence; and he plans to send along another batch tomorrow. Those enlisted today were: Starr Morrill, 701 Merrimack street, boiler-maker; Daniel Powers, 508 Lakeview avenue, apprentice; George Scarsell, 1145 Lakeview avenue, apprentice seaman; Seymour Priestley, 31 Leverett street, apprentice seaman; George Cot, 14 McIntyre street, fireman, third class; George Gellineau, 46 Acton st., apprentice seaman; William Brooks, R.F.D. No. 145, East Chelmsford, apprentice seaman; Frank Welsh, North Chelmsford, apprentice seaman; John Tansley, No. Chelmsford, apprentice seaman, and Charles Carkins, No. Chelmsford, apprentice seaman.

Frank Pirok was the Lawrence man man signed up for the ship, and the Haverhill men were William Buckley and Raymond Colburn.

Paris Office Denies Report That Large Quantity of Merchandise Sold

PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 23.—In a statement which it says is issued because of many inaccurate reports concerning large sales of Red Cross merchandise, the American Red Cross explains that the only materials which have been sold are certain perishable goods, second-hand equipment, surplus stocks and articles which are no longer of any use in direct relief work in either France or eastern Europe.

The total sales of such materials in Europe, the statement says, aggregated thirty million francs, while the value of the relief materials distributed in Europe during the month of July and August amounted to more than 100,000,000 francs.

Sales of surplus materials, the statement adds, were authorized in France and have been conducted through the American Red Cross liquidation board.

There will be a special meeting of the municipal council tomorrow at 10 a. m. Included in the business scheduled to come before the commissioners is the approval of contracts for the building of the Morey school addition as well as the contracts for the installation of boilers in the Gorman street fire house and Colburn and Dover street schools.

Deputy Sheriff Gately served papers on four members of the Allied Shoe Workers' union this morning to appear at the equity session of the superior court in Boston tomorrow to show cause why an injunction should not be granted against them, restraining them from interfering with the employees of the L. H. Spaulding Shoe Co. These proceedings are similar to those started last week by the Mawhinney Shoe Co. against several members of the Allied Shoe Workers' union and have to do with the strike of shoe workers that has been going on in this city for the past three weeks.

Today marks the beginning of the fourth week of the strike with both the employers and employees holding their end. The workers have asked recognition of their union and that has been refused by the employers, who are willing to take back all their help and grant them an increase in wages and shorter hours, but who are firm in their decision not to recognize the union.

Since the beginning of the strike picketing has been going on at the plants of the Mawhinney Shoe Co., better known as the Federal Shoe Co., and the L. H. Spaulding Shoe Co., and hence the court proceedings. Farley & Tierney will appear for the shoe concerns, while the strikers are represented by D. J. Donahue.

There are keen men and women in Lowell. Possessors of personal property of value, of papers that if lost could not be replaced; keen in accumulating, who follow the habit of hiding their possessions in secret places, known only to themselves. To be sure, it's going to be their funeral and they pay the bills.

But—
Bride goeth before a fall-down.
The chain is strong as weakest link.
You can't teach an old dog.
And some people lock the stable door after the old mare's gone.
And still you wonder at crime.

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A safe and sure Safe Deposit Box in a safe place continuous at a cost of only \$5 a year at—
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MERRIMACK-PALMER STS.
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Lowell Aerie 223, F. O. E.
Meeting of the Outing Committee Tuesday Evening, Aug. 26, at 7.30. Tickets will be distributed. Tickets will be in the hands of the committee only.

PETER J. BRADY, Chairman
MARTIN J. CROWE, Secretary.
10-ROOM LOUNGING HOUSE for sale Address L. H. F. Sun Office.

Threatened Street Car Tie-Up Draws Near as Local Car-men Take Strike Vote

MASS MEETING ENTERS PROTEST

Against Adopting League of Nations or Treaty in Present Form

Strong Addresses by G. W. Pepper and Other Speakers—Resolutions Adopted

A rousing mass meeting of American citizens representing several nationalities far removed from one another in lineal descent was held in Associate hall last evening to protest against the acceptance of the League of Nations covenant by the United States. Eloquent speakers were enthusiastically applauded and resolutions were adopted protesting against the proposed ratification of the League of Nations and the peace treaty in its present form.

The meeting was open to all Americans for the discussion of an all-American question of great moment. It received the earnest endorsement and co-operation of the United Irish societies of Lowell and was quite largely attended in spite of the uncertainty of the weather. If it had been fair the hall would have been filled long before the scheduled time for calling the meeting but despite the fierce electric storm there was an attendance that nearly filled the hall.

The principal speaker was George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, vice president of the League for the Preservation of American Independence and a jurist of wide repute. Others who spoke were Hon. Charles S. Lilley, who presided; Hon. Perry D. Thompson, Daniel J. Donahue and Frank Warnock, president of the Lowell Trades and Labor council. Judge Lilley was introduced as presiding officer by Dr. Patrick J. Bagley.

Mr. Lilley briefly reviewed the purpose of the meeting and after reading

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FIRST ROOKIE COP IN BOSTON

Edwin H. Hall, Harvard Teacher, Enrolled With Volunteers Under Mr. Pierce

Policemen Mum on Strike Until After Trials Scheduled for Tuesday

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Organization of a volunteer police force for duty in the event of a strike by the policemen of the city was begun today by former Superintendent William H. Pierce. As the nucleus for the emergency body, it was announced that several former captains and lieutenants and 100 pensioners of the force were available. Four hundred unpaid volunteers will be recruited if possible. They will be armed with night sticks which Commissioner Curtis called in from the regular officers a few days ago.

Plans for a meeting of the policemen's union this afternoon were disturbed by orders to the officers at some stations to report for duty at 3 o'clock. The meetings had been set for 2.30.

Volunteers for emergency patrol service reported to former Superintendent Pierce at the Chamber of Commerce, where recruiting headquarters were opened. The first man to volunteer was Edwin H. Hall of Cambridge, professor of physics at Harvard university.

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MAY WALK OUT ON WEDNESDAY

Carmen Throughout Bay State System Voting on Strike Question Today

Trustees Show No Disposition to Yield From Original Decision to Stand by Award

With the employees of the Eastern Massachusetts (Bay State) Street Railway Co. today voting on the question of suspending work unless their latest demands regarding the war labor board's award of 12 per cent. are met by the company and with the public trustees seemingly standing firmly upon their original statement that they will abide by the war board's decision and asking the riding public to submit to a strike "rather than to abandon the most important principle of arbitration, the agreement to abide by an award," Lowell and the remainder of the commonwealth served by this electric railway company again stand on the brink of a street car tie-up as absolute and far-reaching as the one in June. Unofficially, Wednesday is the day set for the strike.

Members of Lowell division 250, be

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ANXIOUS TO ENLIST FOR MEXICAN SERVICE

The recent punitive expedition into Mexico after the bandits who captured two air service officers and held them for ransom has stimulated recruiting at the local army recruiting station at 117 Merrimack street. Many applicants have presented themselves for service on the border and several have already been enlisted. The critical situation in Mexico and the present interest taken by congress in the Mexican trouble have caused much speculation as to whether the government is about to act in a more forceful manner and a number of local men have stated to Sgt. McLeod, in charge of recruiting in Lowell, that they want to be on the border for whatever turns up. The experiences of the men of old Co. M several years ago have not been forgotten.

350 AT SPRINGFIELD DEFY OPEN SHOP

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 25.—About 350 employees of the National Equipment Co. walked out today when asked to sign agreements not to affiliate with labor unions. The company has announced its intention to employ union labor.

NOTICE ALLIED SHOE WORKERS

After Aug. 25 All Meetings Will Be Held in Leather Workers' Hall

CENTRAL STREET

Lowell Commercial College

The school that won over 22 other New England Business Colleges in the typewriting contests last spring. Facts like this have made the reputation this school enjoys.

Merrimack Square, Lowell

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Exclusively By
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ESTABLISHED 1857
Last Week August Fur Sale
Of Our Positive saving of 15 to 25 per cent. All goods insured and stored free of charge until needed.
Now in the time—BEFORE THE WINTER—do have your furs repaired, Remodeled, Redyed at Summer Prices.
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Phone 3988 Third door from Central

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Young men to learn the best paying trade in the shoe business. Steady work. Satisfactory pay while learning. Strike on. Apply

Federal Shoe Co.
DIX STREET

News of the Churches

The usual services were carried out in the local Catholic churches yesterday and large numbers received communion at the early masses.

Rev. Thomas F. Markham, D.D., who recently returned to this country after being ordained at Rome and who celebrated his first solemn high mass here last Sunday at St. Peter's church, will return to Rome in October for further study at the American college there.

Members of the O.M.I. Cadets Drum corps left today for Derry, N. H., where they are to take part in the town's centennial observances.

St. Patrick's
Rev. James Supple, D.D., celebrated the late mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday and also made the announcements. At the early masses large numbers received communion, but none of the societies received in a body.

Sacred Heart
Rev. T. Franklin Wood, O.M.I., celebrated the late mass at the Sacred Heart church yesterday. At the 7.30 o'clock mass members of the Children of Mary sodality received communion. The pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., was the celebrant and Rev. John Doherty, O.M.I., assisted in giving communion.

Immaculate Conception
Rev. James B. McCartin, O.M.I., celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at the Immaculate Conception church yesterday and also made the announcements. The senior branch of the Children of Mary sodality received communion at one of the early masses.

St. Peter's
Rev. Peter Linehan celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday and also made the announcements. The usual services were held last evening.

St. Michael's
Rev. T. J. Heagney celebrated the late mass at St. Michael's church yesterday. There were many communicants at the early masses.

St. Margaret's
The pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan, was the celebrant of the 11 o'clock mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday and Rev. Stephen Murray celebrated the early masses.

St. Columba's
Rev. Patrick J. Hally, the pastor, celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at St. Columba's church and Rev. Francis McNeill the early masses.

Calvary Baptist
"Modern Christianity" was the subject discussed at the Calvary Baptist church yesterday morning. Rev. A. C. Derris, of Davenport, Mo., was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic "The Holy Ghost."

First Baptist
Rev. Albert G. Warner took for his sermon topic at the First Baptist church yesterday morning: "Is Church Attendance Worth While?" He spoke in the evening on the theme: "The Gospel of the Unturned Face."

Immanuel Baptist
"God is Love" was the topic of the sermon at the Immanuel Baptist church yesterday morning. The preacher was Rev. E. H. Rose of Richmond, Va. He spoke in the evening on the subject: "What is Wrong With the World?"

Christian Science
The regular services were held at the Christian Science churches of the city yesterday and the subject under discussion was: "Mind."

Eliot Union Congregational
"What Would Jesus Do?" was the topic discussed at the Eliot Union Congregational church yesterday morning by Rev. Leslie W. Sprague of Worcester.

First Congregational
Rev. Clarence A. Vincent, D.D., took for his subject at the First Congregational church yesterday morning: "The Limited and the Unlimited in Every Life."

Pawtucket Congregational
"The Only Road" was the subject discussed at the Pawtucket Congregational church yesterday morning.

Highland Congregational
"Where Are We Going?" was the topic of the sermon at the Highland Congregational church yesterday. Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins of North Chelmsford was the preacher.

Jewish Synagogues
The usual services were held at the Jewish Synagogues on Saturday, St. Paul's M. E.

Highland M. E.
Rev. C. L. Boches preached at the morning service at the Highland M. E. church yesterday. The preacher in the evening was Rev. J. F. Densmore.

First Primitive Methodist
"The Only Foundation" was the topic of the morning service at the First Primitive Methodist church yesterday. Rev. N. W. Matthews was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the theme: "A Startling Denial."

First Presbyterian
Rev. Joseph E. Kennedy preached yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church on the topic: "Our Windows-Rolled."

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg. Lending Library at Kittredge's.

Fire and liability insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

Items for this column must be signed to insure publication.

Miss Eva M. Lantagne of 14 Albion street has gone to Salisbury beach for ten days.

Miss Beatrice Laidlaw of the Lowell Guild has returned from a pleasant sojourn at Old Orchard.

Miss Irene Donnelly of the Sun business office will spend the next two weeks in Mt. Vernon, N. H.

Miss Margaret M. McDougall of Broadway has returned from an enjoyable vacation at the beaches.

Miss Alice D. Gallagher of 55 West Fourth street will leave for Ashfield next Monday to resume her teaching in that town.

Miss Agnes Linton of Fort Hill avenue is visiting friends at Atlantic this week and next week she will spend in Newport, R. I.

Miss Mary A. Nawn of Park Ridge Illinois, formerly of Lowell, is visiting her cousin, George H. Nawn of 240 Stevens street.

Mr. Frank T. Donnellan of Chicago, Illinois, is spending his vacation with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Donnellan of 21 Saratoga street.

Miss Noela M. Paquin of The Sun's business office has been granted a three months' leave of absence in order that she may enjoy a needed rest for purposes of recuperation.

A. S. Goldman has denied his intention to abandon his law practice in Lowell for the moving-picture business. Although Mr. Goldman has acquired an interest in the Park theatre in Nashua, he will continue his practice in this city, for the present at least.

The Middlesex North Agricultural Society will conduct an auto excursion to the farm of Walter B. Farmer.

KEEN EDGES

Does your safety razor suit you? If not, perhaps a stropping machine will overcome the trouble. Proper stropping improves the blades a whole lot and increases the number of shaves per blade. We have a machine for every blade, among which are the TWILLEY, HOTTOSTROH, GEM, EVER READY, DUBLEDGE, SLIDE STROKE, STERLING and THE ROYAL. Come in and look them over.

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YOU follow directions on the bottle—giving BOVININE three times a day in milk—and in six days you can see the genuine improvement in appearance—in activity—in appetite of child, invalid or tired-out grown-up. Try it—your doctor knows how to take it. Sold by druggists since 1877.

Hampton Falls, N. H., Wednesday, and all local farmers, fruit growers and poultry fanciers are invited to make the trip. The party will leave the city at 1 a. m.

First Lieut. James H. Connor of this city has returned home after extended overseas service with the 89th Division. Lieut. Connor had previously been connected with the Stone & Webster Construction people and before entering the service made a trip to France as a civil engineer. He enlisted in the service in July, 1918.

Rev. John Welsh, a former Lowell boy, and for several years pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Jonesboro, Ind., is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welsh of 2 Stanley avenue. Rev. Mr. Welsh will preach at the First Presbyterian church in Appleton street next Sunday, and plans to leave shortly afterwards for Indiana.

Twenty members of the Y. M. C. A., who went out camping during the past week, left this city at 7.55 o'clock this morning for Boston, where at noon they will board a private yacht and cruise the south shore for a week. The excursionists will make their headquarters at Newport, R. I., and will visit many interesting places. The party is in charge of T. F. Williams, local boys' secretary and B. F. Anderson of Boston. They will return Saturday.

The George C. Fairburn Co., Inc., which purchased the Fox restaurant in Bridge street, last Saturday, as announced in the late edition of The Sun, plans to continue the restaurant and will install additional facilities for handling the business. A large bakery will be installed in the basement of the Munn store, also recently taken over by the Fairburn company, while a delicatessen department will be added with a policy of serving hot meals at meal hours.

Miss Anne Langlais, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Langlais of 36 James street, who will soon be married to Mr. Joseph Dusseault, was

tendered a reception at her home Friday evening, the affair being attended by over 50 friends and relatives. Miss Langlais was showered with appropriate gifts and best wishes and later a varied musical program was given, those taking part being Misses Irene Pedneault, Eva Manseau, Dina La-vole, Juliette Janoue, Maria Gaudette, Antoinette and Yvonne Montmarquet, J. Chapdelaine and Mrs. G. Fournier. A luncheon was served. Those responsible for the success of the event were Misses Eva Manseau, Cora Mailloz and Corinne Langlais.

Mass Meeting Enters Protest

Article 10 of the covenant, which has to do with the preservation as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league, asserted that he could not interpret this meaning in any other way than that this country would be bound to go to the assistance of any other league nation whenever that power was menaced from without or within. He denounced the article as un-American and then introduced George Wharton Pepper as the principal speaker.

Mr. Pepper's Address
Mr. Pepper regretted that another engagement would not allow him to speak for as long a time as he wished and asked the indulgence of his audience if he seemed to hurry away after a brief address.

"I will venture to say," he began, "that no more important question than the consideration of the League of Nations covenant has been before the American people in our time. It is not only a question of what the terms of this international partnership shall be, but whether the United States can best play its part in the reconstruction of the world and secure our generation and the ones to follow if we enter into any league which fetters us and curbs our activities. This is the question you, as individual men and women, must decide: Shall the United States enter upon a partnership with foreign nations and if so, upon what terms?"

"What are we to do with this treaty with Germany? It is divided into two parts: the first, which sets up a league of nations and the second, which contains the treaty proper. Study it carefully and you will find many indignities laid, many obligations to be assumed, but you will seek in vain for a single sentence which even intimates a solitary benefit to the United States. But, on the other hand, you will find many paragraphs which impose liabilities upon us. I venture to say that it is the first time in the history of diplomacy that a nation of the world has been asked to sign a treaty in which it has no mention other than on the liability side.

"Please do not misunderstand me. Please do not think for a moment that I would countenance a shrinking from our international responsibilities or obligations of war. If obligations are assumed they must be paid to the full extent.

"Let me give you three fundamental liberties which we must cling to and which must not be obscured by any covenant or partnership. They are:

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Freedom to defend the right; freedom to refuse to fight and freedom to mind our own business.

"We must have unhampered freedom to defend the right, to go to the support of other and friendly nations and to resort to war in self-defense. We must have the freedom to refuse to fight and not allow ourselves to be drawn into foreign squabbles in which we have no interest. Yes, a freedom to refuse to fight, and when we do go in to have the right to pick out the fellow on whose side to want to throw our strength. We must have the freedom to mind our own business and maintain our traditional policies.

"Do not be swayed by the argument that we may enter this alliance with the reserved right to withdraw at any time. The right to withdraw is there, true enough, but it also contains the provision that we must have fulfilled all of our international obligations at the time of withdrawal. Compare it to an every-day matter of business. It is like a man who expresses a willingness to sign a note for you, but does not care to have his name appear upon it as an endorsement. You say to him, 'Well, you just sign it and let me go to the bank and get the money, for I am in great need of that, and then tomorrow you go to the bank cashier and ask him to please scratch your name off the note.' Neither government nor bank cashiers do business that way.

"Do not give an ear to the man who says, 'Sign it now and amend it afterward.' Here again it may be easily compared to the business contract of partnership. Let us suppose that you were a party to a contract, several articles of which were to your disadvantage. A lawyer advises you to sign nevertheless and immediately upon signature write a letter to your prospective partner telling him of the articles which do not please you and tell him they are to be interpreted thus and so. Don't commit yourselves to it. Do not accept this contract of partnership before you are sure it is right and safe. You men and women of Lowell, assert your New England right and your New England habit of generations, to do your own thinking. Don't let someone do it for you on this tremendous question.

"The senate foreign relations committee today stands out as the only group of American citizens who are seriously attempting to safeguard the United States in this matter. They oppose the ratification of the treaty in its present form. Go you and do likewise and tell your senators and representatives of your beliefs. Don't consent to vagueness or ambiguities. Let's have this matter clear and concise before we go a step further. I admire the stand of Germany just prior to her invasion of Belgium more than a vassalizing policy and doubling clauses. Germany was wrong when she declared that military procedure necessitated this in-

Lowell, Monday, Aug. 25, 1919

A. G. Pollard Co.

"The Store for Thrifty People"

The Children Need MUSLIN "UNDIES"

AS WELL AS THE "GROWN UPS"

TOMORROW in the Ready-to-Wear Section of OUR GREAT UNDERPRICED BASEMENT Underwear for Children will have full sway—Why not get a supply for school wear?

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At 35¢ Pair—Children's Drawers, trimmed with fine embroidery and made of fine quality cambric; 50¢ value.

At 45¢ Pair—Children's Drawers, made of very fine cambric, trimmed with fine embroidery; 59¢ value.

CHILDREN'S SLIPS

At 35¢ Each—Children's Slips, sizes 2 to 6 years; made of fine cambric, trimmed with fine embroidery; 50¢ value.

At 45¢ Each—Children's Slips, made of a very fine quality of nainsook, trimmed with embroidery; sizes 6 to 14 years; 59¢ to 69¢ value.

CHILDREN'S SKIRTS

At 35¢ Each—Children's White Skirts, sizes 2 to 6 years, made of fine nainsook and cambric, with fine tucks or trimmed with fine embroidery; 50¢ value.

CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS

At 35¢ Pair—Children's Bloomers, made of fine cotton, cut full size; 50¢ value.

CHILDREN'S NIGHTGOWNS

Children's Gowns, made of very fine cotton and nainsook, nicely trimmed with fine embroidery; \$1.00 value. At 69¢ Each

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Coffee-like flavor without coffee harm

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Large Maine POTATOES, very fancy, pk.	65c	Fresh Ground HAMBURG, lb....	15c
Very Fancy BLUE-BERRIES, basket	23c	LEGS OF LAMB, Lb.....	25c

Just a Few Snaps for Our Big MONDAY SAVING SALE

PURE LARD, Lb.....	35c	SHREDDED WHEAT, Pkg.....	12c
CORNFLAKES, 3 Pkgs.....	29c	GRAPE NUTS, Pkg.....	12c

50 Bushels on Sale **Tomatoes** 50 Bushels on Sale
\$1.35 Bu. \$1.35 Bu.
BUY TODAY
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SUGAR? SURE!

SHOULD AID TEUTONS

Finance Writer Credits Trick-
ery to Americans in Delay-
ing Credit Grants

BERLIN, Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—George Muech, the financial writer on the Tageblatt scores the United States for failing to assist Germany financially, and asserts that Americans are even guilty of machination to depress the value of the mark artificially.

"Americans are exploiting Germany's needy situation most selfishly," he declares, "by delaying to grant credit which Germany needs, and depressing the value of the mark with the intention of obtaining such German products as drugs, chemicals and brushes at low prices. On the other hand, they offer American products to German buyers at as high prices as possible. It is poor comfort for us to know that the Americans are playing the same game as their former allies."

Mr. Muech says the American government now could show whether it "really wishes to help Germans in their work of reconstruction by allowing Germany to enter the American money market."

"Not without reason," he concludes, "do the glances of economic leaders turn toward the east. It is ever clearer that rescue is to be found there."

SUGAR SHORTAGE
CONTINUES HERE

The sugar famine is still on in Lowell, and wholesalers hold out little hope that the shortage may be abated soon. Of course, one may buy all the "brown" sugar one wishes, but as one housewife said to a Sun man: "Who the dickens wants brown sugar in one's coffee, pies and doughnuts?"

Many restaurants have substituted loaf sugar for the old fashioned kind, and in some cases are even dictating to the customer as to the number of lumps he or she may use—all of which doesn't sweeten one's disposition to any great extent.

None of the wholesalers are willing to hazard a guess as to the length of time which must elapse before Lowell folks will again be able to order up a few pounds of sugar and get away with it. If one attempts to place an order nowadays for this sweet the grocer usually looks one over most carefully, scratches his head with an "How do they get that way?" expression, and then tells you that there is absolutely nothing doing.

DEATHS

TARELLA—Mrs. Mary (Higgins) Tarella, a well-known resident of this city, died Saturday at her home, 273 Rogers street, after a long illness. She leaves her husband, John; one son, John Jr.; a daughter, Dorothy; and two brothers, Michael and John Riley, all of this city.

DESROSIERS—Mrs. Marie (Rousseau) Desrosiers died Saturday at the home of her son, Avila Desrosiers, 142 Ennall street, aged 67 years. She leaves nine children, Mrs. Fortunat Latine, Mrs. Pierre Leclerc of Montreal, Joseph A. Louis Jr., Avila, Honore and Edgar Desrosiers, Mrs. George L. Biron and Mrs. W. Woolf, all of Lowell.

MORRISON—Fred C. Morrison, formerly of this city, died yesterday in Ayer at the age of 31 years. He was a graduate of the Lowell Textile school.

McNAUGHTON—Stephen D. McNaughton, a former resident of this city, died yesterday at 323 Broadway, Lawrence. He leaves three sons, Stephen, William and Richard McNaughton.

McMULLEN—Stephen McMullen died in this city yesterday morning, aged 58 years, 3 months, 2 days and the body was removed to the undertaking rooms of Hiram C. Brown. It will be forwarded to Basking Ridge, where services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HANNON—Frederick E. Hannon, son of Elias D. and the late Catherine (McNamara) Hannon, died today after a lingering illness. Deceased resided at 30 Wilson street, North Billerica and was an esteemed member of St. Andrew's church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther (Kearney) Han-



THEY CAN'T HELP BUT WIN

NEW YORK.—Now the striking actors can't help but win, for look who's at the head of the fight. It's Ed Wynn, the sassy monologist, and with him is Billie Farrell, of the Rialto.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BROWN—The funeral of Catherine Brown will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 212 Cross street. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

DESROSIERS—The funeral of Marie Desrosiers will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her son, Avila Desrosiers, 142 Ennall street, at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Louis church at 9 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Napoleon Bledau.

PERUSSE—Mrs. Yvonne Perusse, wife of Arthur Perusse, died yesterday at her home, 258 Cheever street, aged 26 years, 5 months. She is survived by her husband, two children, Simone and Helene; her mother, Mrs. Matilda Nadeau; a brother, Joseph of Worcester; three sisters, Mrs. Cora Kelsa of Quebec, Misses Anna and Rose Nadeau of Lowell.

McMULLEN—Stephen McMullen died in this city early Sunday morning, aged 58 years, 3 months, 2 days. The body was removed to the undertaking rooms of Hiram C. Brown. The remains will be forwarded to Basking Ridge, N. J., where services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The local arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

HORAN—The many friends of John H. Horan of Charlestown, Mass., will be pained to hear of his death which occurred yesterday at his home, 52 Mount Vernon street, Charlestown. Deceased was a former resident of Westford and Lowell, where he numbered a vast circle of acquaintances. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, Margaret Dunn Horan; three sons, Thomas J., John H. and Harold; two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Flynn and Miss Margaret Horan and two sisters, Mrs. O. Desjardins of Westford. Burial will take place in Lowell. Funeral notice later.

SULLIVAN—Mrs. Ellen Sullivan, widow of John, an old and highly respected resident of this city, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John J. Shea, 189 Mammoth road. Deceased had lived in St. Patrick's parish for 40 years, but a few years ago removed to the Pawtucketville district. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John J. Shea and a son, Police Officer John J. Sullivan, and 12 grandchildren. Friends requested to omit flowers.

ROARKE—Mrs. Mary A. Roarke, widow of Thomas E. Roarke, died Monday morning at her late home, 189 Broadway. Deceased was an old resident of this city and for many years attended St. Patrick's church. She leaves one daughter, Miss Bessie; one son, Frank J.; one sister, Miss Margaret Ambrose and one brother, William Ambrose.

CORRIVEAU—Mrs. Ludger Corriveau nee Evelina Blanchette, aged 27 years and 3 days, died Saturday night at her home, 119 Ford street. She leaves her husband and a son.

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FUNERALS

KOWALSKA—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Kowalska took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents, 175 Fayette street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Ognowski, pastor of Trinity Polish Catholic church on High street. The bearers were J. Tiley, Frank Bonk, S. Puzan, M. Wegrzyn, P. Koszarski and F. Szewczyk. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, Chelmsford. The funeral was largely attended and was under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Sadowski.

ADAMS—The funeral of Arthur F. Adams took place Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 315 Lakewood avenue. The services were well attended and there were many flowers. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery and the arrangements were under the supervision of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

HANAFIN—The funeral of Annie Hanafin took place from the chapel of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons yesterday noon. The body was taken to Thompsonville, Conn., where services and burial took place.

McGOWAN—The funeral of Hugh McGowan took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his home, 68 Yarnum street, and was largely attended. Division 8, A.O.H., of which the deceased was a member, turned out in a body and their number was augmented by delegations from the other divisions of the A.O.H., led by a band. The bearers were Andrew F. Roach, Charles Higgins, Thomas Dorsey, James O'Sullivan, John C. Rourke, John Heslin, Charles Slowsky and Thomas Nevens.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Among those present from out of town were Frank McGowan of New York and Mr. and Mrs. McGowan of Boston. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. J. Mulvaney, pastor of St. Michael's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker J. F. Rogers.

LEMIRE—The funeral of Ruth M. Lemire, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lemire, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 451 Gorham street, at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fox.

NUDD—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Nudd took place Saturday afternoon from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services were held at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Arthur Shaw of St. Ann's church officiating. Burial was in the Edison cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PARENT—The funeral of Miss Aurora Parent took place Saturday from the home of her mother, Mrs. Coraella Parent, 189 Hall street. Funeral mass was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church by Rev. Louis Bachand, O.M.I. The bearers were Orla and William Parent, Joseph Millette, L. Larocque, Alfred Dubé and Henry Lemieux. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Rosario Jalbert, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

WOOD—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Wood was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick G. Humphries, 10 Smith street, Saturday at 2 p.m. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were Messrs. Herbert H. Mack, John White, Matthew Winton, Jr., and Albert Wood. Interment was in the family lot in Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

TARELLA—The funeral of Mrs. Mary (Higgins) Tarella took place Monday morning from her home, 273 Rogers street, at 8 o'clock. At St. Joseph's Lithuanian church the funeral high mass of requiem was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. Stanley Kuczar. The choir sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by W. F. Mack. There were beautiful floral tributes placed upon the grave. The casket was borne from the church to the hearse by the following friends: Messrs. John T. Riley, Michael F. Riley, Messrs. John T. Riley, Michael F. Riley, Messrs. John T. Riley, Michael F. Riley, Messrs. John T. Riley, Michael F. Riley. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery where Rev. Stanley Kuczar read the committal prayers at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

CORRIVEAU—The funeral of Mrs. Ludger Corriveau took place this morning from her home, 119 Ford street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Aurelien St. Michel, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Joseph Boland, O.M.I. as sub-deacon. The bearers were N. Corriveau, F. Blanchette and P. Blanchette. Mrs. Anne's sodality was represented by Mrs. D. Duhe, Mrs. A. Duhe, Mrs. J. P. Duhe and Mrs. W. Bourque. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Deroy, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

JOVAL—The funeral of Mrs. Marie Joval took place Saturday from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rosalie Robarce, 146 Aiken avenue. Funeral mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Lachance, assisted by Rev. Eugene Vincent and Rev. T. A. Guiblier as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Mr. O. P. Javal sang the Gregorian mass, Miss Ida Joval, daughter of the deceased, being the soloist. The bearers were Albert Lebeur, Joseph Hamelin, Joseph Hermeneville and Trefle Desmarais. Althea Joval, burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal services were read. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

TENDERED RECEPTION
Miss Jennie McGrath of 11 June st. was tendered a reception at her home by a group of friends last evening and as a token of esteem was presented several valuable gifts. A buffet lunch



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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph A. E. Durocher and Miss Marie Louise L. Raymond were married yesterday at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Augustin Gratton, O.M.I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Moise Durocher and Etienne Raymond. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 490 Moody street.

Rochelleau-Hartou

The marriage of Mr. Joseph A. E. Rochelleau and Miss Ella Barton took place yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Charles Denicot, O.M.I. The best man was Mr. Edmond Rochelleau, while the bridesmaid was Miss Alice Malo. A reception was held at the close of the ceremony at the home of the bride, 25 Adams street.

Blanchette-Blanchette

Mr. Adelard Cyriel Blanchette and Miss Olive Blanchette were married this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock in the private chapel of St. Joseph's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I. The witnesses were Messrs. Edouard Blanchette and Omer Blanchette.

con was served and entertainment numbers were given by Howard Hartou, John Sheehan and others. The party broke up at a seasonable hour, the guests extending their best wishes to their hosts.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR
NEW CHAPEL FUND

A very interesting meeting of the general committee in charge of the fund raising campaign for the erection of a new Catholic chapel at Lakeview, was held yesterday noon at the close of the high mass and according to reports submitted at the meeting everything is running along as nicely as can be expected. Several substantial donations have already been received and among the last to be acknowledged is one for \$25 from Mrs. Ann Flannery, to the memory of her son, Corp. Edward Flannery, who died at Camp Jackson, Ga., last year. In the course of the meeting it was announced that all the arrangements for the concert to be given next Sun-

day evening at the Lakeview theatre was connected with the old Boston Opera Co. Mr. Chantreau will sing in French and English and for the first time will render the famous De Valera song, one of his own compositions, dedicated to the president of the Irish republic. It was also announced that everything is shaping well for the box party to be given in Francis C. Chantreau of Boston, a the chapel Wednesday evening by the Parisian singer, who at one time Misses Theriault.

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Henry C. Hockett, Post Office Clerk, Cambridge, Mass., says: "I would be glad to write or tell any one what Var-ne-sis did for me when I had Rheumatism so bad. I could walk only on the toe of my foot." Write him, or W. A. Varner, Lynn, Mass.

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	CANTALOUPE Large luscious melons At Both Stores 3 for 20c	
	EGGS , fancy selected, every egg guaranteed to be good—At both stores. Doz. 51c	
	HAMBURG , fresh ground, makes economy meal, lb..... 19c	
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Detroit	65	48.1	
Cleveland	63	46.7	
St. Louis	61	45.3	
St. York	57	42.3	
Boston	50	36.9	
Washington	43	31.5	
Philadelphia	25	18.2	

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS
Chicago 4, New York 1.
Washington 2, St. Louis 0.
Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 1.
Boston 2, Detroit 7.

GAMES TOMORROW
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNAMENT

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 25.—One of the largest and best fields of golfers ever entered in a Women's Western Golf association tournament was to begin play for the title at the Detroit Golf club today, 130 entered. Miss Elaine Rosenthal, the title holder who won from Miss Frances Haddfield, the Milwaukee star at Indian Hill, last year, will not play in this tournament. Among the well known players entered are Miss Haddfield, Mrs. Arnold Jackson, Chicago, who has twice won the national championship, Miss Elizabeth Klotz, Chicago, city champion, Miss Lucille Desserberg, Kalamazoo, Mich., champion and Mrs. F. C. Letts, Jr., Chicago, formerly twice western champion.

Thirty-two will qualify for the championship fight which begins tomorrow.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES
BOSTON, Aug. 25.—The grand circuit race at the Roadville track was scheduled to begin today with the American Horse Breeders' Futurity for three-year-old pacers, a two-year-old trot, the 2:18, and 2:16 early closing trotting classes and a match race between Annie Guy (2:35 1/4) and Lou Princeton, 2:02, on the opening card. Weather conditions were not auspicious early in the day and the track was heavy from an all night downpour.

McLOUGHLIN TO ATTEMPT "COMEBACK"

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, the California "comeback" who won the American lawn tennis singles championship in 1912, and 1913, will try for a "comeback" in the championship tournament of the United States Lawn Tennis, which began today at Forest Hills, N. Y. McLoughlin has been chosen to open the tournament by meeting Cragin of New York.

Gerald L. Patterson of Australia, the world's title holder, R. Lindley Murray, winner of last year's tournament, and two former champions, R. Norris Williams of Boston and William M. Johnston, San Francisco, and many other stars of the tennis world were entered on the matches on today's card. Two other matches played on the grand stand court were Patterson against Frederick B. Alexander of New York and Conrad B. Doyle of Washington against S. Howard Foster of Brooklyn, former national indoor champion.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT POSTPONED

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Rain caused the postponement of the first round of the national singles lawn tennis championship at Forest Hills today. Heavy showers had soured the turf so deeply that the tournament committee decided it would destroy the court surface to permit competition. At the opening matches were carried over until tomorrow.



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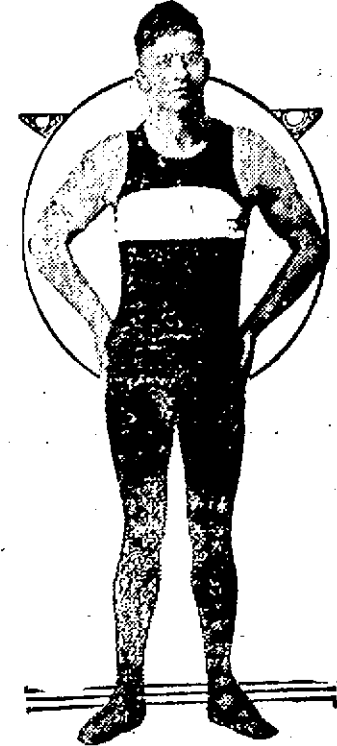
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K. OF C. WINS WHEN PERE MARQUETTE QUILTS

With one man out in the first half of the eighth inning the tying runs on the bases and the score 3 to 1 against them the Pere Marquette team of Boston refused to abide by an umpire's ruling on a play at second base. In the eighth inning the Lowell Knights of Columbus on the South common Saturday afternoon and after stalling for nearly 15 minutes allowed the contest to go to the local nine by forfeit.

SENDS CHALLENGE TO ALL COMERS

Following his recent victory over Walter Miller of the Los Angeles Athletic club, Ted Thye of Portland, Oregon, now middle weight wrestling champ is preparing for a trip throughout the east to take on all comers in his class. Thye was developed by Mike Butler, boxing and wrestling instructor of Portland.

LOWELL K. OF C.

	ab	r	ib	po	a	e
O'Day, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Haggerty, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cawley, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. Foye, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
R. Foye, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Devlin, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	3	2	21	11	1

PERE MARQUETTE

	ab	r	ib	po	a	e
Flaherty, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gorman, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gorman, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kaup, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Doherty, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Berry, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	0	0	0	0	0

The Call'em

All the local men who saw Kloby fatten Eddie Sherwin at O'Sullivan park Saturday are sure to give a lion that no boxer in years has shown such recuperative powers and such a constitution as the Lawrence mauler. He is a superman with a will that knows no defeat and a power to pull himself above his own bodily pain and knock out a man who had him badly beaten. It will take a wonderful welterweight to beat him and although Paul Doyle has been cited as one of the men who is capable of doing it, the following conversation which took place after the scrap shows how Paul feels at the present time:

"What do you think of Kloby?" Paul was asked.

"He's a fighting bear cat," was the reply.

"You ought to be able to take him, don't you think so?"

"Well, Sherwin thought he could, too."

"You aren't afraid of him, are you?"

"No, I'll fight him if I'm given a couple of weeks' notice, but I wouldn't have stepped into the ring with him today."

Boxer Versus Slugger

Mike O'Dowd made the fatal mistake of trying to box with Jack Britton in Neward Friday night and the result was a close fight for the welterweight champion. It was Britton's fight all the way with the exception of the third round, when O'Dowd rushed his opponent and swept him to the ropes with a shower of rights and lefts to the head. In every other round Britton boxed circles around his slower-moving antagonist and kept his left hand constantly in O'Dowd's face. O'Dowd's middleweight title is not in danger because Britton does not pack the punch to knock him out, but he will outbox and harass him by the hour any time they meet.

Jimmy Gardner Has Real Job

Jimmy Gardner of Lowell will be the third man in the ring at the Peasway A.A. tonight when Jake Ahern and Johnny Wilson meet in the 12-round feature bout. The rival managers, Joe McCarthy and Mark Killilea, met yesterday and agreed upon the former Lowell middleweight as referee. This will prevent any last-minute squabbling over an arbiter.

Only Four More, Babe!

The American League has more than a month to go and Babe Ruth needs three more home runs to equal Buck Freeman's world record of 25 circuit hits in a season and four to create a mark that may well stand for 45 years. Last Friday night Babe's mark stood at 19, but he cracked one over the right bleacher fence at Navin park on Saturday for his 20th and by superia-

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live hitting swept two more out of the park yesterday, thereby running his string up to 22. He is a marvelous batter and easily the sensation of 1919. Ty Cobb, George Sisler et al notwith-

Big League Help Not Enough

Pitcher Scott Maranville and Tony Boeckle of the Boston Braves spent the week-end in Vermont and yesterday attempted to pull the Rutland team safely through its first series game with Newport, but to no avail. Even with this trio of National league stars, Rutland bowed in submission, 2 to 1. Maranville made the only error of the game when he dropped a fly ball. Billie Page, former Lawrence manager, played second base for Newport and Henry Sullivan of Lowell caught for Rutland.

Picking a Man For Kibane

If Matt Hinkle can put the bolt over, Matt Brock of Cleveland and Benny Valger will meet at a League Park, Cleveland, on Labor Day. There's more behind the proposed clash than a mere meeting of gifted glove tossers as it will mark the beginning of a series of engagements between featherweights with the ultimate view of establishing a worthy challenger for the champion Johnny Kibane, who was gone on record as saying he will fight one more regular championship bout before quitting the ring for good. Brock has the power and capability to stop over a decisive punch on the slightest provocation and the same holds true for Valger. It should be a whizz of a bout if Hinkle puts it across.

\$500 FOR POLO LEAGUE CHAMPS

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 25.—The American Roller Polo league, at a meeting yesterday with all clubs represented, voted to offer a prize of \$500 for the club finishing first in the season's play, \$300 for the team in second place, \$100 for the team playing third place.

PLAYING NIGHTS WERE ASSIGNED AS FOLLOWS:

Providence, Monday and Saturday; Worcester, Wednesday and Saturday; Lowell, Tuesday and Friday; Salem, Monday and Thursday; Brockton, Tuesday and Friday; New Bedford, Wednesday and Friday.

LOWELL BALL PLAYER SIGNED TO PLAY WITH CASTLETON.

VT. TEAM
Henry Sullivan, the local boy, who looked so good in his brief stay with the Lowell team in the New England league this year, has gone to Castleton, Vt., where he will finish out the season with the team of that town.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The T. R. & T.'s went to Graniteville Saturday and were defeated by the club representing that town by the score of 6 to 0.

WORCESTER CO. POSTAL MEN WANT RAISE

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—Postal employees of Worcester county, at a mass meeting yesterday adopted resolutions asking increases in salaries, and requesting their national officers "in the event of relief being denied us by the act of congress, to take immediate referendum to determine the sentiment of the members for enforcing their demands." A committee was appointed to appear before the congressional



"BLIME, WHERE'S THE FUN?"

LONDON.—"Where's the funny fun?" asks the flunkey, but look at the jolly faces of King George and Queen Mary of England as they watched the girls romping in Hyde Park. They had lots of fun with the children when they made a surprise visit to the festival in London's famous park.

wage committee in Boston on Sept. 11

and 12. Congressmen Calvin D. Page and Samuel E. Winslow, and Postmaster James F. Healey addressed the meeting, and promised to do all in their power to obtain increases.

SMALL DOCKET IN POLICE COURT

Present on a statutory charge, Joseph Boisvert pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 30 days in the house of correction.

Mary Vealoux not guilty before Judge

Enright in police court this morning. Both cases were continued until Sept. 2.

A suspended sentence of five months

in the house of correction was prescribed in the case of Joseph Segouin, drunkenness. Several other drunks were also placed on probation.

About 21,000 tons, or one-fourth

the world's shipping now lie on the bottom of the ocean.

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KLOBY WINS BY KNOCKOUT

Drops Shevlin for Count in
Ninth and Wins N. E.
Welterweight Title

Remarkable "Come Back"
Converts Apparent Defeat
Into Glorious Victory

Young Kloby of Lawrence won the New England welterweight title by knocking out Eddie Shevlin of Roxbury in the ninth round of their twelve round bout at the Lawrence ball park Saturday afternoon before the largest crowd in New England ring history.

It was a remarkable uphill victory for Kloby, a sensational and spectacular fight, one that will be recorded in the annals of boxing as a victory won by sheer bulldog courage, determined perseverance and brute strength.

The bout terminated in the ninth round. Kloby had taken the first and second rounds by a slight margin. But the third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh were Shevlin's by a city block.

He had battered Kloby all over the ring in those five sessions. He had been bleeding and looking out of one eye, and the Y. D. idol was sorry to see him come through.

But one terrific smash, a right uppercut to Shevlin's jaw, delivered just after the ninth round opened, nullified the sailor's wonderful work in the early part of the fight and brought to Kloby a sensational and spectacular victory, one that will be recorded in the annals of boxing as a victory won by sheer bulldog courage, determined perseverance and brute strength.

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ROBERT BRIDGES
NEW POET LAUREATE

LONDON.—Great Britain has a new court poet in Robert Bridges. Although he has not produced many odes which is usually demanded of poets laureate, Bridges has written a large variety of memorable poems in honor of his country.

Following an ugly wound, infuriated fans surged into the ring and policemen rushed to the scene and with drawn clubs and revolvers waded to Shevlin's corner. The quick action of the officers undoubtedly prevented a serious riot.

The scenes attending the fight beggar description and can only be compared with those prevailing at a world's series. The ball park was a big mass of humanity, while the house tops and windows of the buildings surrounding the grounds were black with people.

Even the big trees outside the enclosure held their quota of fans willing to risk their lives to witness the big fight. It is estimated that at least 15,000 saw the battle, 13,000 inside the grounds and 2000 on the outside looking in. Moving picture men and other photographers were on the scene.

For a time it looked as if the bout would not go on and many of those present who included representatives from cities and towns within a radius of 50 miles, sat or stood sweltering under the burning sun while the managers and principals argued for over half an hour on the referee question. Both Kloby and Shevlin, with their handlers, had entered the ring but when Shevlin's manager refused to stand for Scotty McEee, Manager Bell announced that Shevlin wouldn't fight and he called Paul Doyle from the crowd and asked him to get ready to substitute. Finally Shevlin and his seconds left the ring amid the jeers of the crowd. The argument was resumed behind the scenes and after calling in the mayor of the city to arbitrate the controversy, John Cooper, a Lawrence business man, was accepted as a compromise referee.

This action caused much dissatisfaction and considerable bad blood but an events materialized, the knockout eliminating the necessity of giving a decision, everything terminated satisfactorily.

Kloby was the favorite in the betting and again the Lawrence fans made a clean up. They had much cause to boast, however, and several times during the bout, when Shevlin was piling up his lead the odds shifted. The Shevlin backers were happy until the eighth, when the Roxbury lad, over-confident and not content to continue his style, assayed the rule mixing it and swapping punches with the king of haymakers, and this action brought his downfall, and disaster to his backers.

Many Lowell men were among those at the ringside and they agreed with all others that the bout was one of the greatest ever staged in this section of the country.

Garden crops worth \$13,500 were raised on New York's vacant lot gardens this year.

BASEBALL DEMENTIA PREFERRED TO PLAIN EVERYDAY INSANITY



Patients at Elgin insane hospital watching ball game between doctors and hospital team; Arnold Hauser, former star of St. Louis Cardinals, Ray Beard, catcher and John Reardon, pitcher.

BY FRED TURBYVILLE,
N.E.A. Sports Writer.

They've gone baseball crazy at the Elgin state hospital for the insane. But Superintendent Ralph Hinton says baseball dementia is preferable to being just plain crazy and the patients are being cured and improved steadily.

The hospital is an institution for the insane at the little city just west of

man and boy," said Miss Isabelle Roebach, superintendent of occupational therapy, under whose charge all athletics are conducted.

"Baseball is improving the sick minds of many of the boys; they're thinking more clearly again and they're happier," said Miss Kathryn Jennings, physical director who organized the baseball teams and is coach of the players.

This institution, a pioneer in the sports cure for sick minds—is no longer a place of gloom. They're baseball crazy and happier and better off for it.

They're seeing daily games replete with brilliant fielding performances, batting and baserunning—everything but inside baseball.

The players do little thinking. Many of the athletes are young men suffering from the dementia praecox—a disease of the mind that brings on moroseness and destroys the brain cells. The patients are never violent. They lose aggressiveness.

The games therefore lack the "inside stuff" we hear so much about and there also is an absence of the fighting spirit.

I saw John Reardon, who formerly starred in the big leagues, called first on a very close play—he really looked safe—and yet he turned and left the bag without a word.

I saw Arnold Hauser, former star shortstop with the St. Louis Cardinals and later a Federal Leaguer, make brilliant stops and one-handed catches.

bang out a single, triple and home run. Yet he pulled nothing clever in the "inside game."

Hauser is the star of the team and his mind is improving. He at first was a bad player on the hospital team. He would make a brilliant catch in the field and then just let the ball drop from his hands. He was stubborn and wouldn't follow instructions. Now he is a reliable fielder, polite to the girl coach and ready always to oblige.

It was noticeable that Hauser always made for the bench after coming in from the field. It was like watching him back in the old days. His every movement on the field brought back the big league days.

But he doesn't remember them. He is, however, becoming interested in big league baseball. He reads the papers and follows the big leaguers. He is allowed to go over into the city occasionally and see a game between semi-pro teams.

I saw Ray Beard, colored catcher, reach first safely when the first baseman of the doctor's team dropped the ball. He then turned the wrong way. But in the second inning following Chief Clerk Marsh told Beard if he would hit a homerun and bring in the three baserunners, he should have a watermelon. And Beard hit the ball over the fence back of the outfield.

They're taking up other athletics—basketball, track and field sports, bag punching, etc.

Fred Barnett, former banianweight, tired of watching the ball game and

retired to the rear of the crowd where for several minutes he went through the motions of shadow boxing and walking about the ring between rounds.

Calvin Demarest, former cue champion, was a spectator at the ball game. Occasionally he is allowed to play billiards.

But none of these former stars of the sport world seem to recall the old days. Yet they are happy when they can play ball again. And it is confidently be-

THEY FIRST TRIED GOLF AS A CURE

Under former Superintendent Gahagan the hospital tried the game of golf as a cure for many mild cases of insanity. But the results were not satisfying and the sport was abandoned some years ago.

Baseball is very popular in its first big year at the hospital. The players wear rubber-soled shoes, but otherwise regulation equipment and the quality of their uniforms is the same as worn by the big leaguers.

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BLAME BEAN BALL IN HAUSER'S CASE

Five years ago Arnold Hauser, then playing professional baseball, was beamed by a pitcher. From that time on his mind was affected. Three years ago he was placed in the hospital. He gradually grew worse but when baseball was started and Hauser was coaxed to play he became better. If he keeps on improving as he has this summer he may be able to leave the asylum. The same is true of several of the other present inmates.

Chicago. In it are more than 2100 patients and almost every afternoon two-thirds of that number forget all their gloom and moroseness and glory in the great national game. American game and is second nature to every

COTTON MILL FIREMEN

Interesting Meeting Held—
International Officer Here
Today

An interesting meeting of the cotton mill firemen, who have been out on strike for the past three weeks was held yesterday afternoon with President Thomas Quinn in the chair.

A report of the officers of the organization on the strike situation was given and routine business was transacted. It was announced that President Healey of the International body is expected in Lowell today and that an early settlement of the grievances is being looked for. At the close of the meeting the following statement regarding the strike was given out:

Back in October, 1918, the men asked for an increase in wages and the eight-hour day. This request was turned down by the Cotton Manufacturers association. At that time most of the men employed in the cotton mills, wanted to strike to enforce their demands, but the officers of the organization persuaded them to notify the labor bureau at Washington which was done and a conciliator was sent here to try to bring about a settlement. However, he was not suc-

cessful, the Cotton Manufacturers association refusing to grant the request of the firemen's organization. The conciliator advised the men not to strike as the mills were doing a lot of government work at that time, and he would refer the matter to the labor board if they promised not to strike. They promised and the matter was referred to the war labor board, the cotton manufacturers refusing to refer their side of the case.

After the armistice was signed a hearing was given by the war labor board at the court house, the manufacturers refusing to present their side of the case and saying the war labor board had no jurisdiction over them. As a result the local was given leave to withdraw. The matter has dragged along ever since, the manufacturers granting the eight hour day to all the other employees of the mills except the firemen and their helpers who, they say, were always considered 12-hour men. International President Healey of the organization came to Lowell last July and held a conference with the Manufacturers association. Two days later they refused to grant the request, so there was nothing left for the men to enforce their demands for an eight-hour day but take strike action. They went on strike and the state board of conciliation and arbitration was notified by the mayor according to law. The secretary of that board came to Lowell, conferred with the firemen's organization and he was given their side of the case. He also

POLICE SEARCHING FOR SNATCH THIEF

The police are searching today for the snatch thief who robbed Miss Josephine Sullivan of a pocketbook containing \$25 while she was on her way home Saturday evening. Miss Sullivan is employed as a maid at the home of C. I. Hood, 436 Andover street, and had nearly reached the house when a young man, who had been following her for several yards, seized her pocketbook and made his escape.

The motorman of a passing street car heard the girl's screams, and after the car had stopped a passenger went into the home of John H. Harrington, and phoned the police. They were unable to find any trace of the young woman's assailant, however.

visited one of the agents and the secretary of the Manufacturers association, concerning arbitration, and they said there was nothing to arbitrate so far as they were concerned. The men are out three weeks and are still firm and will remain out until their demands are granted.

The high death rate among the Jews of eastern and central Europe is due largely to consumption and typhus. An investigator of the Jewish relief agencies reported that 70% of the deaths in the large city of Lodz, Poland, are due to consumption alone.

CANDIDATE LONG HERE

Spoke From City Hall Steps
Saturday Night—Issues of
Campaign

In his first local address of the present campaign season, Richard H. Long of Framingham, democratic candidate for governor, told a large audience in front of city hall Saturday evening a few of the principles for which he stands in his aspirations for gubernatorial honors.

"The professional man, the small business man, and the farmer are paying much more than their share of taxes, and the rich, especially those with large incomes received from investments in foreign corporations, are escaping with only a fraction of what they should pay."

"The net income in 1917 of individuals reporting incomes in excess of \$2000 yearly was more than \$50,000,000. Their income in 1918 is reported to be still higher. The policy all over the world now requires that men with large incomes pay taxes according to their wealth, and to their ability to pay by a graduated income tax."

"The small tax payer of our cities and towns all over the state can be relieved of state taxes, and to a large extent of their city, town and county



E. MARVIN UNDERWOOD
IS RAIL COUNSEL

ATLANTA.—Underwood is leaving his home here to take up his duties as general counsel of the United States railroad administration. He was formerly assistant attorney general.

taxes by fair assessment on large incomes that are now not being properly assessed."

The speaker dwelt upon the various benefits in community development that would be derived from such a system.

"The policy of the national income tax which was found to be so easy to collect and easy to pay should be carried into the state affairs. It would simplify the work for our tax payers, and once adopted would be approved by every fair-minded citizen."

"A graduated income tax to take care of any deficit such as there may be concerning a public service corporation, like the Boston Elevated railroad, would be paid largely by the individuals owning the railroads. They would see to it in a more careful manner that the railroads were properly managed, and that the stock was not improperly issued, whereas at the present time they put the burden on the car riders, the small business man, the owners of homes and the farmers who don't usually own railroads. Now the railroad managers have no incentive to give honest and efficient financial management. They would squeeze the water out of the stock and limit the fare unit to five cents."

The taxes assessed to pay the soldiers' bonus is one of the most glaring acts of a republican state government. It forces members of the soldiers' family, by a \$5 poll tax, in many cases to pay the entire bonus coming to a member of their family. The same law allows foreign corporations and men of large wealth to escape entirely from any taxes to pay the soldiers' bonus, but requires the active corporation doing business in Massachusetts to pay a large part of the money required for the bonus. How much fairer and better it would be to have this paid by a graduated income tax?

"I shall advocate making up a budget for state expenses and public improvements, and show that the amount required can be so easily raised by the graduated income tax that the people of the commonwealth will wonder why it was never done before."

In conclusion, Mr. Long blamed the republicans for defeating the plan for the development of the Merrimack river, so necessary to the prosperity of the industries in the Merrimack valley.

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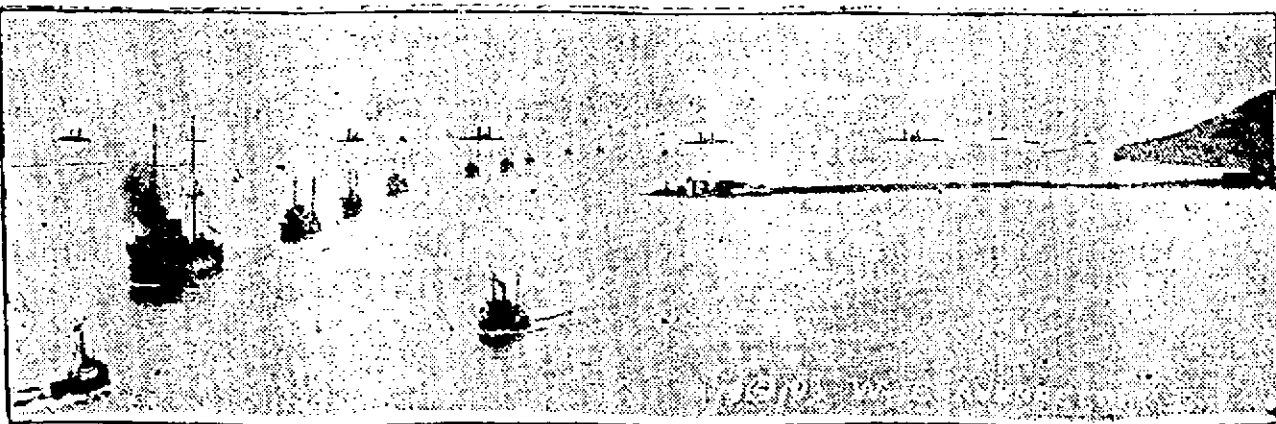
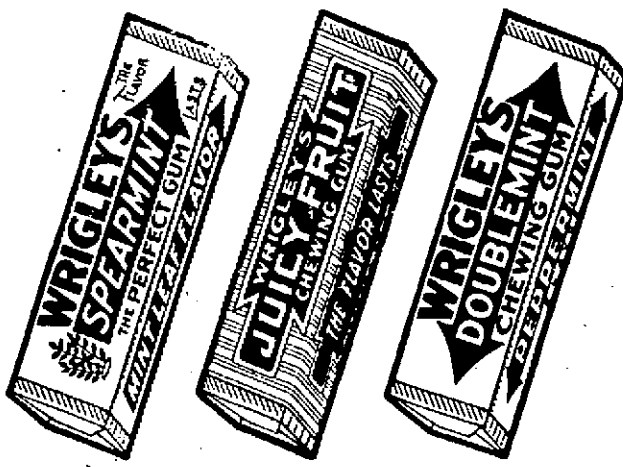
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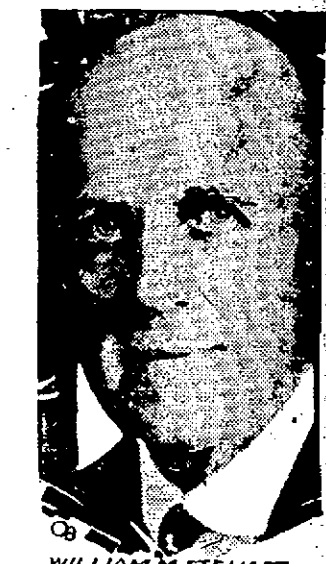
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PACIFIC FLEET ENTERING SAN DIEGO HARBOR

Showing the long line of destroyers, with the dreadnaughts of the Pacific fleet in the background, steaming past Point Loma to the anchorage in San Diego harbor, where a royal reception awaited the "gobs."



WILLIAM M. STEWART
HIS CENSUS EXPERT

WASHINGTON, August.—William M. Stewart, who has assumed his duties as assistant director of the census, has been connected with each national census from and including that of 1850. Michigan is his home state.

The baking of white bread is a lost art in Poland. They have forgotten that this was once common in their country and call it "American bread."

The agents of the American Jewish Relief committee write that Poland bread now consists of 10% wheat flour, 90% rye and 80% tree bark for filler.

TOBACCO HABIT DANGEROUS

says Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital. Thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug Nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to any up-to-date drug store and get some Nicotinol tablets; take them as directed and let the pernicious habit quickly vanish. Drugists refund the money if they fail. Be sure to read large and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in this paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it. In the meantime try Nicotinol tablets; you will be surprised at the result. A. W. Downs and Routhier & Co. list.—Adv.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either stand in the North station.

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THIS WEEK ADVERTISE CLOTHING

As usual, before a holiday, we urge Lowell merchants dealing in men's and women's clothing, to realize that the days before a holiday offer a wonderful opportunity to make a business spur. A holiday is a "dress up time." Many people believe that part of the business of a holiday is to visit friends and relatives and to put "the best foot forward" it's part of the scheme to replenish the wardrobe.

Every day this week should be a day for the dealers in clothing to have this in mind. Three things are necessary to make and turn over a profit for this week of extraordinary clothes buying. First, that the seller must have the stock in good assortment, good values, good quality. Next, experience shows that display advertising is the appeal that draws attention of all readers to bargains offered. These two elements we have. The third is to use the right medium to put the other two things over, and in this city the right medium is

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UNFAIR TO GREECE

If, as alleged, the American delegates to the peace conference are in favor of handing over Thrace to Bulgaria, they are doing something for which there is no justification. It is alleged that this proposition is brought forward with a view to giving Bulgaria an outlet to the Aegean sea. That plan is a violation of President Wilson's fourteen points for the reason that Thrace is a Grecian province, whose population is almost seven-eighths Greek.

It is difficult to understand why there is such a disposition to sacrifice the rights and interests of Greece for the benefit of Bulgaria. The latter nation represents more nearly than any other, all that is left of Prussianism in Europe. Why can she not in the future, as in the past, use the Black sea in conducting her commerce? The Dardanelles will be opened to the world and will give Bulgaria a free passage to the Mediterranean. It will be a roundabout way to be sure, but this is one of the results of the location of Bulgaria. For generations past the Black sea has been closed to commerce and even Russia had no outlet to the Mediterranean or to the Indian ocean, although she struggled hard against British interests to secure one.

It is certainly most unreasonable to presume that in the new order of things Bulgaria should exercise sovereignty over Thrace in order that she might have the advantage of a short route to the sea.

If Bulgaria had any just claim by custom or treaty to such an advantage there might be some excuse for allowing her the territory in question, but while the allies owe nothing to Bulgaria and much to Greece, why betray a friend to benefit an enemy. In releasing Thrace from Turkish sway, why should it not be transferred to the motherland in justice to her and to the people involved?

Greece has been generous enough to offer to construct a railroad through Thrace over which the Bulgarians could transport their products to the Aegean sea, but apparently even this does not satisfy the people who want to favor Bulgaria. In the last census of the population of Thrace as taken by the Turkish authorities, it appears that the population was in the proportion of seven Greeks to one Bulgarian and on this basis representatives were elected to the Turkish parliament. Thus both Turks and Bulgarians admitted the predominance of the Greek race in that province.

It appears that the delegates of France, Great Britain and Japan favored giving Thrace to Greece and that the American delegates alone stood out in opposition and favoring the contention of Bulgaria. To carry out such a proposition would violate the principle of self-determination laid down by President Wilson and would turn over the Greek population of Thrace to a government that in many respects will be no better than that of the Turks which through long centuries has held the Thracians under a severe despotism despite their struggles for national unity.

The people of the United States want an explanation of this action on the part of their delegates to the peace conference and it is one of the things which President Wilson should explain in connection with the League of Nations. Unless the principle of self-determination on ethnological lines be granted to small nations, there is no ground for claiming that the conference at Paris is endeavoring to apply the principles of right or justice to the problems coming before them. The declaration of a police strike

American delegates should be the last to favor any scheme by which any province or people would be severed from the mother country to which they rightfully belong.

BOSTON POLICE UNION

Whether the police of Boston have the right under the terms of their employment to join a labor union will probably be passed upon by the courts before final action be taken upon their case.

Inasmuch as in entering the service they took oath to abide by the rules of the department, it is difficult to see how they can justify their course in deciding to form a union to be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

The threat of a strike of 80,000 members of the federation if the police were denied the "right" to join a labor organization was wholly unjust and calculated to injure the cause of labor everywhere.

The A. F. of L. is regarded as a sane and conservative body of intelligent workmen. If it appears that men bound under oath to perform certain duties try to withdraw from that just agreement, why should any labor organization rush in to defend their course? Much less should any state senator or any candidate for office hasten into the public prints to defend them.

In all such matters the sacredness of legal and duly recorded contracts must be defended. The courts of justice will never countenance the violation of any such contract on any pretext whatsoever. The action to be taken in the Boston case will probably rule the attitude of other police departments throughout the state, relative to the alleged right of policemen to organize and join the A. F. of L.

The mere affiliation of a police union with the federation, would imply that when the police make a demand for higher wages or better conditions, they will stand ready to enforce it by a strike, backed if necessary by sympathetic strikes. No city could take such risks of being left without protection perhaps in emergencies that would make the situation very serious. From Boston the demand for \$5 per day has spread and now every police department in the state is asking for that amount. The Lowell police had recently received an increase after considerable agitation and we do not expect that the city is ready to grant the full \$5 per day and one day off in eight. At present the pay per diem is \$4.50 and one day off in fifteen. The demand for one day off in eight is quite reasonable, as police officers should have as near as possible to one day a week to spend with their families.

It should be specifically provided, if in any case it is not so at present, that neither policemen nor firemen shall have the right to strike. They should have the right of collective bargaining within the department and special provision should be made under the rules for the equitable settlement of all demands or claims made by the departments. Until each city in the commonwealth makes this provision for fair treatment of police and firemen, they need not express surprise if either class of employees takes matters into their own hands.

It is time every municipality had a legal provision under which all demands by police and firemen could be settled without resort either to the courts or sympathetic labor unions. This arrangement is imperatively demanded in order that no city of the state may be left at the mercy of the worst criminals by the problems coming before them. The declaration of a police strike

THE GREATEST NEED

(By the N. E. A.)

At the front of world consciousness is one question:

"Will capital and labor work together?"

All governments, all political parties are concerned with this fundamental problem.

There are agitators and ultra-radicals on both sides, urging relentless class war.

Conditions in the United States are more promising than in any other country, and this nation can lead the way to enduring peace if clear thinking prevails over passion; if calm action checks reckless impulse.

President Wilson has called an international labor conference, to be held in Washington, D. C.

The industrial leaders of the world will assemble in Atlantic City, Sept. 29.

The Kelly-Poincaré resolution now before congress calls for a joint conference between labor and capital along the lines recently suggested by Basil M. Manly. Manly has since declared that in view of high prices and agitation over profiteering, representatives of farmers and consumers should also be present.

Either something will be done—Or something will happen.

We can use common sense, or let matters take their course, everyone scrambling to take or do hold all he can, and leaving the claims of humanity to luck.

The hour is at hand for the peace conference in which the warring elements of our industrial system must meet "for the greatest good of the greatest number."

The world has had enough of conflict—

Now for co-operation.

INFLATION OF H. C. L.

As time goes on the present state of currency inflation will rectify itself. Already there is evidence of a tendency in this direction shown by the continued fall in foreign exchange to rates unprecedented. Already the pound sterling is worth but \$4.12½ in American money, as against a par value of \$4.86. Thus it becomes more and more unprofitable to sell goods for export to England, while it is proportionally more and more profitable for the British to export goods to this country.

Another point which indicates the extent of the inflation is, that the national bank deposits at the present time are reported to be sixteen billion dollars, whereas three years ago their deposits were only nine billion dollars. This state of affairs explains the very high prices, compared with those of a few years ago. It cannot, therefore, be said that the high cost of living is entirely due to profiteering or speculation by any number of combinations such as the packers at Chicago. It is true that in some special cases the prices are pushed up to a degree which is entirely unjustified, but the government is now out to punish such offenders and in all probability this imposition upon the public will soon be reduced to a minimum.

It is reported that former Premier Caillaux of France is to be brought to trial on the charge of treason. His tools, Duval and Bolo Pasha were tried, found guilty and shot, but why Caillaux should have been allowed such extended freedom is not well understood. Some go so far as to say that certain high officials in France are afraid of being drawn into the scandal as it is alleged that at the time of Caillaux's offense, a number of other prominent officials in Paris were willing and even encouraging movements by which Germany would be aided in bringing about the defeat of France. For this reason the case of Caillaux will be watched with interest.

Speaker Gillett of the national house must have faith in the prayers of the house chaplain inasmuch as he advised him not to pray for the League of Nations.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

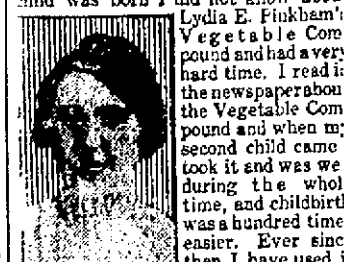


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HOW WEAK WOMEN ARE MADE STRONG

Mrs. Westmoreland Tells in the Following Letter.

Harrison, N. Y.—"When my first child was born I did not know about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and had a very hard time. I read in the newspaper about the Vegetable Compound and when my second child came I took it and was well during the whole time, and childbirth was a hundred times easier. Ever since then I have used it for any weakness and would not be without it for the world. I do all my work and am strong and healthy. I am nursing my baby, and I still take the Vegetable Compound and it keeps a woman in good health. You may publish my testimonial for the good of other women if you choose to do so."—Mrs. C. WESTMORELAND, Harrison, N. Y.



Women who suffer from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, dizziness, backache, headaches, nervousness should lose no time in giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial, and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

The Lowell board of trade has received several hundred copies of a pamphlet issued by the Massachusetts chamber of commerce purporting to be "an analysis and a criticism" of the Plumb plan for railroad control. Every member of the board will receive a copy in a few days and the pamphlet comes out very strongly in opposition to the proposed plan. It contends that such a procedure as outlined in the plan would take the railroads from the control of the public and put them entirely in the control of the employees. The career of the railroads from the time they were taken over by the government up to the present is reviewed in detail and a table of recent wage demands made by various classes of railroad employees is also included. The pamphlet is of real timely interest in that it gives detailed information about the railroad situation, regardless of the merits or demerits of the issues involved. I understand that there are a few extra copies which the secretary of the board of trade will be glad to furnish those interested.

Deputy Collector Foley of the Lowell revenue collector's office tells me that his assistants are having a busy time these days trying to round up the people in this city and elsewhere who continue to be negligent in their payment of the special federal taxes due on ice cream soda, patent medicines, and all the various commodities which are now in the so-called "luxury" class. Many grocery stores, Mr. Foley believes, sell patent medicines daily which contain narcotics and pay no tax, in some cases because they do not know the law which requires the federal tax and in others because they do not know that the medicines contain narcotics. Physicians and druggists, says Mr. Foley, show very few delinquents in paying the narcotics tax, but many small stores who handle patent medicine as a side line have made little effort to clear themselves on the federal books. Most patent medicines, especially soothing syrups used for children, are very rich in narcotics, Mr. Foley declared.

It is interesting in these days of seemingly perpetual ovation and celebration for the Lowell men who served in the various branches of the national service during the world war, when each section of the city is vying with the others to give its own men the best possible sort of a welcome home, to look back and see what the city did after the Civil war, for men who responded to Lincoln's call. I had occasion to use Charles Cowley's "History of Lowell" recently and the following paragraphs are the dedication of the Ladd and Whitney monument in 1855 and the big parade which accompanied it are of interest at the present time:

"On the 11th of June, 1865, the Ladd and Whitney monument was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. The lines inscribed upon this monument, from the Samson Agonistes of Milton, were selected by the lamented Governor Andrew, who also delivered the dedicatory oration. His closing sentences expressed, in eloquent terms, the glowing hope that this shaft might stand for a thousand generations."

"The procession previous to the dedication, though indifferently managed was the most magnificent ever seen in Lowell. It presented an imposing array of national and state officials, the staffs of the governors of Massachusetts and Maryland, officers and men who had served in the army and navy, members of the Lowell, Boston, Worcester and Lawrence city governments, selectmen of the towns, encampments of the Knights Templars, lodges of the Free Masons, the Odd Fellows, the American Protestant association, bodies of infantry and cavalry, bands of music, firemen, Peanans and miscellaneous organizations."

How long does it take to walk along Central street from the postoffice to Merrimack square on a Saturday night? This might prove an interesting test for those who have nothing else to do. This is not a "catch," if it rains of course there will be few people out and the time will vary accordingly. But on a warm night when the north side of Central street is well crowded, just try it. It took the Mayor of Lowell just five minutes to walk the distance last Saturday night without pushing or crowding anyone. Can you do it in less?

SEEN AND HEARD

Kleby's victory adds another page to Y. D. history.

Little Johnny in anticipation of his first day at school is now rehearsing the familiar greeting, "Good mornin', teacher."

According to the department of agriculture, three hundred thousand motor tractors will be manufactured this year.

In Bisbee, Ariz., which is built on hillsides, "Keep Off the Roof" signs are as common as our familiar "Keep Off the Grass."

The Dominion of Canada is to loan \$25,000,000 at 5 per cent to promote the erection of small houses, and enable working men and returned soldiers to buy them at cost.

It is reported that it will require three million dollars annually to fight for world prohibition, and when they get it what are they going to do with it, says an erstwhile wine clerk.

While it may be only a coincidence a young man in the Highlands, who became a father the other day, has just been notified that beginning next month his rent will be increased three dollars per month.

A Good Suggestion
A man who has occasion to ride on the Reading car quite frequently says that he has seen many big railroad ties being burned near the Wilmington-Reading line, and advances the argument that a better way to dispose of these would be to invite the people of the neighborhood to take them for firewood. This would be one way to put a dent in the high cost of living.

The Corrupted Clock
(Copyright, 1919, N.E.A.)
Some one has made the clock go wrong. Not in its time, but in its song.

At twelve at night!
Its face is bright
And the sound of its stroke is a soft delight.

"Tick! tock!
Oh, what a shock!
Flock of long hours that are left in the clock!
Time is unending.
Life is for spending.
What though I strike,
Do as you like!
Tick! tock!
Oh, what a shock!

Do what you will, but don't look at the clock!
Oh, kindly clock! had you a robe, 'd surely kiss its hem!
Let us be friends forever, clock; aye, even at six a.m.!

But oh! at morning when I yawn
And much desire to slumber on,
Its white face stares,
Its eye-hole glares
And its lean hands point me down the stairs—

"Tick! tock!
Knock! knock!
Oh, but such laziness gives me a shock!
Time is for working;
Why are you shirking?
Now, as I strike,
Get up and hike!
Tick! tock!
Oh, what a shock!

Look at me! Look at me! Look at the clock!
Oh, cursed clock! such two-faced talk
I must, and do condemn;
You are so suave at twelve at night,
So harsh at six a.m.!

— EDWARD VANCE COOK.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending Aug. 23, 1919.

- Aug. 23.
15 Marya Nowak, 8 m. enteritis.
Rita Grady, 1, enteritis.
Edward Wilson, 3, ac. burns.
16 Elias Petropoulos, 1, tub. meningitis.
Dionisia Deamatopolos, 6 m. gastro-enteritis.
Joseph L. T. Matto, 1, m. enteritis.
17 Mary T. Kelley, 4 m. enteritis.
Mary McHale, 84, cer. hemorrhage.
Edward L. Gentle, 6 m. enterocolitis.
Hale C. P. Sousa, 4 m. gastro-enteritis.
Elmer Chalk, 60, chr. int. nephritis.
Henry J. Mahoney, 31, chr. valv. heart disease.
Henry Ferron, 46, fracture of base of skull.
18 Nettie Scully, 21, cardio-renal.
Lucy A. Janyrin, 84, senility.
Mary Howard, 78, arterio-sclerosis.
Louis Frazer, 18, pyelitis.
19 Wanda Skrzyniarz, 25, ac. pulm. tuberculosis.
John J. Dowd, 48, cancer.
Margaret M. Farrell, 27, tub. peritonitis.
Timothy O'Neil, 62, senility.
Margaret Armstrong, 1, cap. bronchitis.
Mary Davis, 57, prob. angina pectoris.
John Proctor, 63, arterio-sclerosis.
20 Alfred W. Goyette, 2 m. congenital deafity.
Hannah Wood, 77, valv. heart disease.
Annie Swift, 55, erysipelas.
21 Christina Christopoulos, 3 m. gastro-enteritis.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending August 23, 1919: Population, 107,978; total deaths, 26; deaths under five, 15; deaths under one, 12; infectious diseases, 5; acute lung diseases, 1; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 4.
Death rate for the week ending August 23, 1919: 17.33 against 19.74 and 15.11 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet fever, 1; typhoid fever, 3; measles, 1; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 9; influenza, 1. BOARD OF HEALTH.



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"BUNNY BEEF" TO SWAT H. C. L.

What with the coming of reindeer meat from Alaska and the juicy flesh of these bouncing New Zealand jack-rabbits, now being bred extensively in the United States, pretty Clara Le

Moyné opines that the packers will soon be sitting on the street corners with tin cups in their hands. The film star, incidentally, was lifting about half her own weight when the above photograph was taken. "Despite prohibition," she whispered in Bonny's ear, "I'll wager you will be stewed within the next 48 hours!"

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GREEK CLAIMS IN THRACE

Local Delegates to Big Washington Convention Submit Optimistic Report

Most optimistic is the report of Dr. George A. Demopoulos and Capt. Winfred C. MacBrayne, delegates sent by the local Greek community to the convention which was held in Washington last week to bring to the personal attention of President Wilson the justice of the Greek claims in Thrace and Asia Minor. Messrs. Demopoulos and MacBrayne have just returned and have reported the details of their mission to Christos Zlobos, president of the Greek community.

As chairman and secretary, respectively, of the convention's organization committee, Dr. Demopoulos and Capt. MacBrayne had opportunity to witness the convention's work from the very beginning and they bring back assurances from senators and representatives that Greece's claims would be upheld by them. Senator Lodge also promised them, they report, that the foreign relations committee would give a hearing to a committee chosen from the convention.

The entire matter is a product of a dispute which has arisen as to whether Greece or Bulgaria should be awarded that portion of Thrace which includes Adrianople. It is maintained that the present population of Thrace is overwhelmingly Greek. Allied representatives at the peace conference are said to be in favor of giving Thrace, with the exception of Constantinople, to Greece, but the American delegates have recently opposed the proposition because of the belief that Bulgaria needs an outlet to the Aegean. In order to persuade the American delegation to the contrary, the convention in Washington was held.

Following are a few of the interesting excerpts from the report of the local delegates:

"There were approximately 200 delegates attending the convention, representing 75 Greek communities and societies, and also representing 500,000 Americans of Greek descent throughout the country.

"Your two delegates had the honor of visiting Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, Senator Hiram Johnson of California, Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia and Senator George Moses of New Hampshire. Several congressmen were also visited at their offices, private interviews having been arranged in advance.

"It is with great pleasure that we report the important fact that no senator or representative was found who favored giving any portion of Thrace to Bulgaria. This not only applies to our own experiences with those public officials, but all the other sub-committees which performed similar functions made the same report. It was impressed upon us that all the real leaders in Washington, republicans as well as democrats, were in the cause of Greece. The activity of certain American missionaries in the Balkans was known to several of these statesmen.

"A dinner was given to Senator Walsh of Massachusetts, who was later escorted into the convention by Dr. Demopoulos and Mr. Moustakia, who were appointed a committee for that purpose. Senator Walsh made the statement in his address that if the president kept his written word to the American people he would deliver the Thracian question along its racial lines of demarcation, and this would mean that Greece, the mother country, would again be united with her children. The senator said also that his voice and his vote in the senate would be for justice to Greece. He was given an ovation by the convention, and copies of his address were given to all the newspaper representatives in Washington.

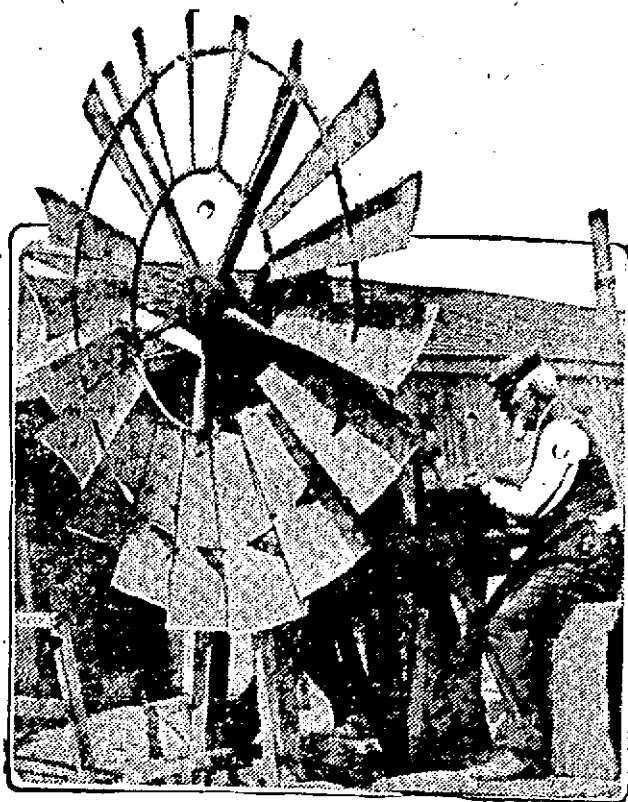
"Your delegates were privileged to learn from Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, that he would arrange to have a committee heard in the near future by the foreign relations committee, and it is quite likely that a special committee of three, composed of Messrs. Moustakia and Cassarides, with Prof. Bolling, who remained in Washington for that purpose, will go before that committee the coming week. We have arranged to get a report upon that matter later."

"The report then goes on to state that a fund was started at the convention to establish a permanent national body with headquarters in Washington to continue the fight. Each of the delegates subscribed and it was decided to send telegrams to local communities so that the latter may have an opportunity to subscribe. It was also the sentiment of the convention that immediate action must be taken to combat the propaganda work of the Bulgarian interests who are sending reading matter to the representatives at Washington.

LOWELL BOY PROMOTED
Ensign Walter C. Wilson, of 31 Thirteenth street, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant junior grade in the navy, and also appointed assistant naval constructor in the aviation section. He was one of the seven naval aviators selected by the government during the war to take a special course in airplane designing, and after completing his studies was transferred to the navy department at Washington, where he has been since connected with airplane constructing.



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AT 83, RIGS WINDMILL TO SAW WOOD

Louis J. Brotton, California octogenarian, firmly believes in that old adage about the "ill wind, etc." Incapacitated by age from plying his trade as stationary engineer, Brotton has

rigged himself an 8-foot windmill on and cuts firewood whenever the mild blasts of San Francisco bay breezes blow. In this way he makes a comfortable living. Brotton, like Noah, lives in an ark and has no patience with modern hub-dubs. The only "jazz" music he can tolerate is the moan of the zephyr through the blades of his windmill.

LIVE NEWS OF NEW ENGLAND CITIES

DIVERS CANNOT GET WOBURN BOY'S BODY

WOBURN, Aug. 25.—Three divers from the U.S.S. Utah, searching Horn Pond, Woburn, for the body of Chief Electrician George C. McNeil, Jr., of the U.S.S. Ozark, drowned Thursday afternoon, worked throughout the storm yesterday afternoon. Thus far the quest has been unsuccessful. McNeil was a resident of Woburn.

SALISBURY BEACH SCARED BY STORM

SALISBURY BEACH, Aug. 25.—Seventeen windows in one house were blown in during the terrific wind, rain and lightning storm which swept across here yesterday afternoon and drenched a record-breaking crowd of visitors.

Windows in scores of houses and cottages were blown in, several chimneys were blown down and a number of trees near the beach were torn up by the roots.

NEWPORT, N. H., CHILD KILLED BY SPEEDSTER

NEWPORT, N. H., Aug. 25.—Iola Howe, the 5-year-old daughter of William Howe of Mill Village, was run over and killed here yesterday by an automobile owned by William A. Beane, a New York dentist, and driven by his chauffeur, Joseph Wilknigk of Brooklyn. The child, who was standing beside another automobile with its father, ran in front of the speeding machine and received a broken hip and internal injuries.

DEATH MAY WIN IN THIS LAWRENCE FIGHT

LAWRENCE, Aug. 25.—A quarrel over a card game in which a bottle of whiskey was the stake led to a gun duel on Common street early last evening and as a result of this Michael Fiato, 50, of 18 Bennett street will probably die, while Raymond Merosia, his confessed assailant is held on the charge of assault to murder.

Four men were playing cards in a store at 10 Common street for the prize bottle. A dispute arose between Fiato and Merosia and the two went out into the street to settle it. Merosia drew a revolver and fired five shots, all of which took effect.

MAINE WANTS 9 INCH LAW FOR LOBSTERS

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 25.—Petitions to initiate a 9-inch lobster law for Maine to go to the legislature at the special session which will probably be called in October are still in circulation. About 7000 names have been secured. The campaign will be speeded up to secure the balance in season to file so that the legislature may endorse the plan.

OLD DERRY STARTS 3 DAY CELEBRATION

DERRY, N. H., Aug. 25.—The 200th anniversary of the settlement of Derry and Londonderry was opened yesterday with church exercises. Community song service was held in the town hall at 5 yesterday afternoon. The meeting was opened by Rev. Robert H. Haskins of Reading, Mass., and the benediction was by Rev. David Jack of Swampscott, Mass.

The firing machine that was to give an exhibition here today on the town's 200th anniversary celebration was struck by lightning at 6 o'clock last night during a heavy electrical shower. It was anchored in Flood's field. The bolt struck a tall pine tree and ran along on the ground several rods to the machine. Quick work by the fire department saved the machine.

RECEPTION TO SO.

END WAR HEROES

South End business men and residents made plans for a big welcome home reception to the service men of that section of the city at an enthusiastic meeting held yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Palmer Glee club in Central street. There were more than 250 present. Unusually elaborate features were planned and, if carried out, will make the affair the biggest of its kind yet held in Lowell or vicinity.

John P. Roane, Jr., presided at the meeting and James O'Dea was chosen secretary. The speakers included Representative Thomas J. Corbett, John J. Gilbride, Daniel Foley, John McQuade and others. Messrs. Roane, Foley and O'Grady were appointed a publicity committee to keep the affair before the public and to secure the co-operation of the various organizations in the South End section.

It is planned to stage the celebration on the South common and the program will include boxing bouts, baseball games, track events, musical and cabaret features, an airplane exhibition and, last but not least, a big parade. The next meeting will be Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Palmer club rooms and delegations from all organizations in that section of the city as well as all others interested are asked to be present.

MONUMENT TO CENTRALVILLE HEROES

The men of Centralville who saw service in the world war will be honored by a monument in Varnum park at Bridge and First streets, if the plans of the committee in charge of the recent big celebration held in the over-view section are carried out. The committee reports that there is still a sum of money left from the funds raised for the welcome home affair and they intend to devote this to a monument for the soldiers and sailors of that section of the city. William H. Noonan, Robert Hart, James McNamara and Thomas Tarpey are the members of the committee and they believe that the amount of money they have on hand will be sufficient for the monument.

LOWELL GIRLS AT CAMP

The following Lowell high school girls are representing the Y. W. C. A. High School Student club at Camp Makonkey on Martha Vineyard Island this week: Misses Dorothy Brissett, Dorothy Flemings and Althea McDougall. The party is being chaperoned by Miss Ethel Everett. It is expected that representatives from clubs from New York and surrounding cities will also be present. The affair will be conducted along social and educational lines.

VT. PRINTER MAKES \$60,000 WITH HIS SONG

RUTLAND, Vt., Aug. 25.—The very common expression, "Sold for a song," generally implies that songs are cheap commodities, but a former Rutland linotype machinist has written one which has netted him to date \$60,000, with additional royalties to come in, and which is being sung from coast to coast, and according to the publisher is expected to exceed the 6,000,000 copy mark soon.

The song is "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles," and its originator is John W. Kelleite, better known in this city as "Jack," who not many months ago was working 10 hours per day repairing machines that set type in a local newspaper office.

After leaving Rutland the lyricist went to New Rochelle, N. Y., to work at his trade, and did manual labor days and began to work on moving picture scenarios at night, and after bombarding the managers for over a year with manuscript after manuscript he got one accepted. It was only a question of a few months after that that he gave up his machinist's tools for a typewriter and a stenographer and went into the scenario department of one of the largest moving picture companies in the country. He later became assistant director for John G. Adolph of the famous Fox Film company, and is now a full-fledged producer of the Briga comedies at a salary of \$25,000 a year, the films being distributed by the Famous Players company.

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CAMPAIGN TO INCREASE FEAR LABOR SHORTAGE LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP IN THE COTTON BELT

NEW YORK, August 25.—Theodore Roosevelt of New York, one of the founders of the American Legion at both the Paris and St. Louis caucuses and now a member of the joint national executive committee, starts tomorrow a four weeks' speaking tour through the middle west and far west under the direction of the legion's national speakers' bureau. His tour will be one of the features of the national membership drive to be undertaken by state branches and local posts during September to bring the legion's enrollment of veterans up to the million mark prior to the national convention in Minneapolis on Nov. 10, 11 and 12th.

The purpose of the Roosevelt tour as well as the speaking tours of J. F. J. Herbert of Massachusetts, heads of the speakers' bureau, and John W. Inzer of Alabama, will be to co-ordinate the work being done by state organizations, to assist state officials of the legion on behalf of the national executive committee and to tell the country at large about the inception, organization, aims and ideals of the legion and its present accomplishments. Mr. Roosevelt will cover the states of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Colorado, California, Oregon, Washington, Montana and Idaho. In each of these states he will deliver addresses and attend conferences with American Legion officials in one or more of the large cities where it will be possible for him to meet the largest possible number of ex-service men. Several states have arranged to hold their first annual conventions on dates when he will be able to attend the opening sessions.

Mr. Herbert, chairman of the national speakers' bureau, announces that it will be impossible for Mr. Roosevelt to accept more than 10 per cent. of the hundreds of requests which have poured into national headquarters from American Legion posts and state branches. Invitations to attend agricultural fairs, to hunt big game in the Rockies and to deliver a speech at cattle roundups have been declined, through the speakers' bureau, so that Mr. Roosevelt may give all his time to American Legion affairs.

In addition to the Roosevelt western tour, the speakers' bureau will arrange to send Chaplain Inzer of Alabama on an extended trip through the southern states. Mr. Herbert himself will speak for the Legion in New England and other eastern states.

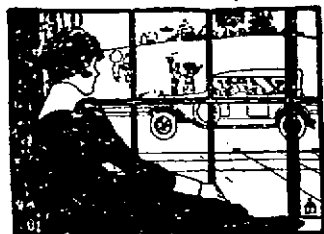


Miss C. E. Furness.

GETS JAP GIRLS TO WRITE TO U. S. CO-EDS

Miss C. E. Furness, professor of astronomy at Vassar who was sent by the national council of women to Japan to study social and educational conditions. To cement the feelings of friendship, Miss Furness organized correspondence societies among the girls of Japan to write to the co-eds of Vassar. She says Japan is intensely interested in the social development of women.

Lithuanian Jews have suffered five awful years of war. Three hundred thousand of them were driven from their homes by the five armies that fought there. Now the American Jewish relief committee which finances workers and supplies to Lithuania reports that thousands of the returning refugees are dying of a terrible typhus plague.



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Unless the army of cotton pickers in the American cotton belt can yearly add to its numbers an average of ninety thousand recruits, spinners and manufacturers of cotton may some day face a serious crisis, and it will be no easy matter to add such a number to the cotton picking forces of this country. When it is recalled that the American picking season lasts only from ninety to one hundred days and that the average daily work of a grown-up picker—man or woman—is thirty-three pounds of lint cotton, it will be seen that it requires the continuous labor for one hundred days of 2,100,000 workers to pick a fourteen-million bale crop. This is one of the

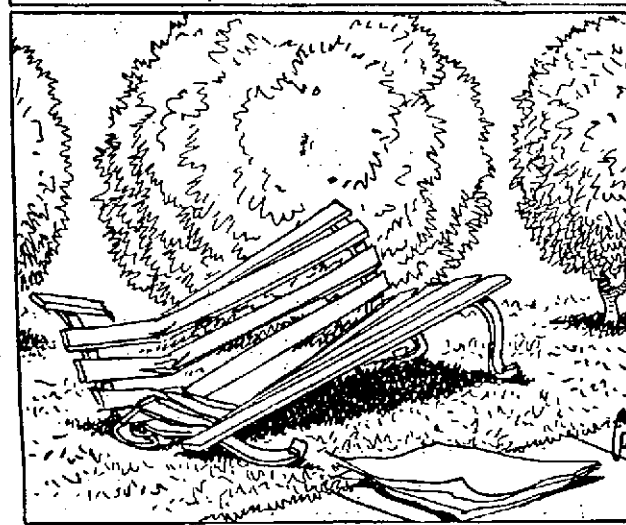
problems which will have consideration at the World Cotton conference, to be held at New Orleans in October. Not a few students of the raw cotton situation believe that the available supply of cotton pickers will not keep up with the growing needs of the world's spindles, because on the one hand the cotton factories and other industries of the south have attracted large numbers of laborers from the cotton plantations, while on the other hand, European immigrants have usually gone to other parts of the country, avoiding the cotton belts almost altogether. Nor is the outlook brighter when viewed from another angle—that of distribution of population.

Seventy years ago, the Southern States had nearly forty per cent. of our total population. In 1910, they had only thirty-two per cent., while that great cotton growing section, the South Atlantic States, had upwards of twenty per cent. of the total population in 1850,

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO

IF THEY CAN MAKE A NEUTRAL COUNTRY HAND OVER THE KAISER, I'M FOR BRINGING JACK JOHNSON BACK TO THE UNITED STATES—HE'S A FUGITIVE, TOO.



BABE GIVES SHIP NAME OF DEAD HERO-FATHER

In honor of her hero-father, killed in France a year ago, five-year-old Marjorie Zane, granddaughter of the governor of California, recently christened a new destroyer at the Mare Island navy yard, San Francisco. Marjorie is here shown in the arms of her mother. Below is a picture of her father, Major Randolph T. Zane, United States Marine Corps, who died of wounds received in the battle of Bour-esches, where he earned the Distinguished Service Cross for bravery and efficiency. The destroyer "Zane" is now nearing completion at Mare Island.

and only a little more than thirteen per cent. in 1910. Can this wonderful industrial age discover, invent or perfect a picking mechanism with a power of selection more human than has yet been foreshadowed? On a practical answer to this may depend America's continued supremacy as a producer of cotton, or perhaps the well-being of the entire industry over a long period of years. It is, therefore, natural that this phase of the cotton industry is to

be given serious consideration at the conference, to be held at New Orleans in October. Those participating in the conference cannot help but regard with foreboding the providing of an ample future supply of raw cotton of the right quality. Many of them frankly fear a cotton famine in the not distant future.

Indeed, it was this very present threat of a possible cotton famine that years ago impelled the British government to the spending of millions of dollars on railroad construction in the heart of Africa. The same urge has drawn further millions out of the savings of the factory operators in Lancashire for investment in new cotton growing undertakings under the auspices of the British Cotton Growing

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association in those parts of the world where cotton growing can be successfully carried on. Before the world war, the same impulse sent funds from France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, and Belgium to the development of cotton cultivation in such of their colonies as possessed soil and climate and labor available for the purpose.

GIFT OF TOWN HALL OFFERED LEXINGTON

LEXINGTON, Aug. 25.—The town of Lexington, through the wills of Mrs. Eliza B. Farnum and Miss Susanna Cary, sisters, is offered a memorial building to their father, Isaac Harris Cary. All were formerly well-known residents of Lexington.

According to the wills, the parts being identical in regard to the memorial building, the residue of their estates, totalling more than \$300,000, and possibly \$350,000, is given for this and educational purposes.

William S. Scamman, chairman of the board of selectmen, states that it is the idea of the committee of 15 now considering the proposition, that the memorial structure be a town

hall. Several sites are now under consideration by the committee, which includes the board of selectmen and planning board, and six other citizens, and the matter will be brought before the voters at a special town meeting early in September.

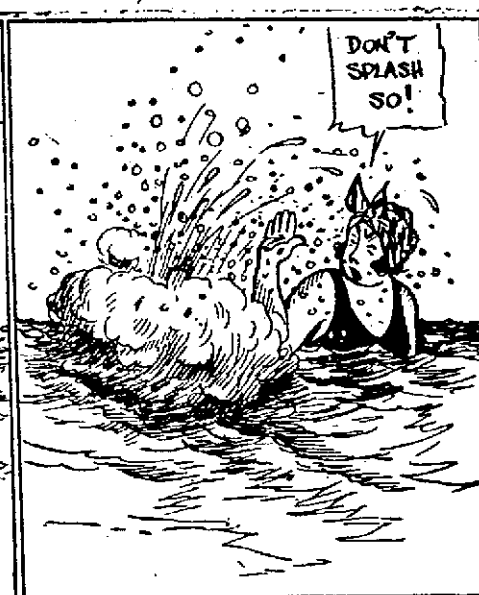
The sisters are relatives of the late Alice Butler Cary, one of Lexington's benefactors, who gave the town its present Cary Memorial Library, on Massachusetts avenue at the corner of Clarke street.

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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



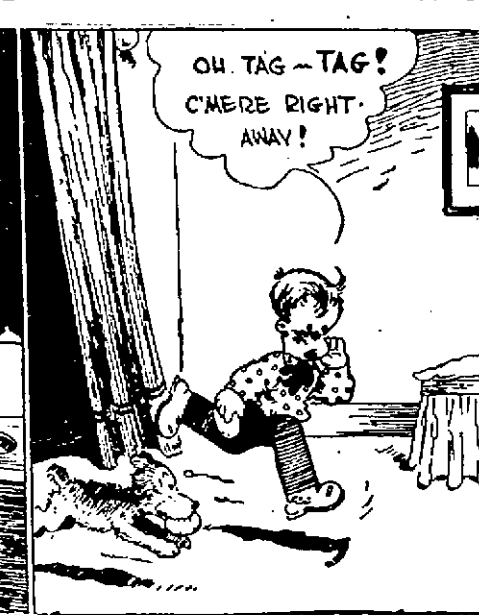
Olivia Forgot That She Had Two Hands

BY ALLMAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

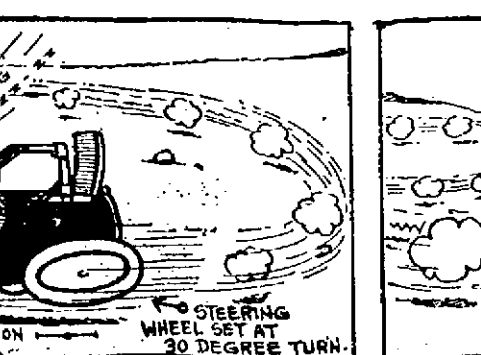
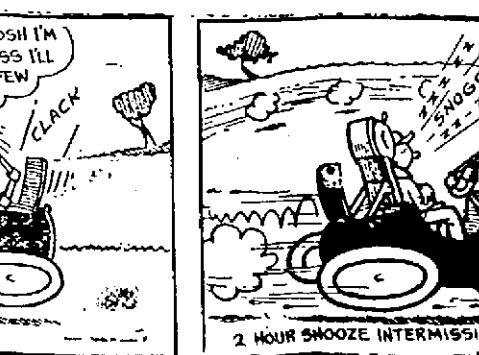
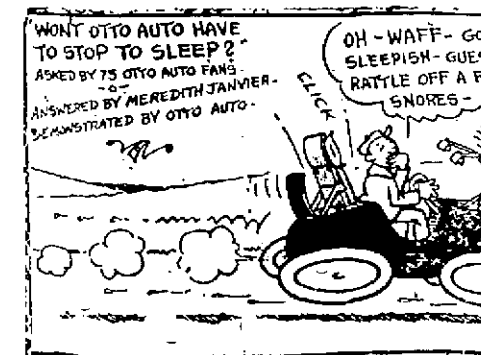
He's Good at Placing the Blame!

BY BLOSSER



OTTO AUTO

BY AHERN



OUR TROOPS BACK IN U. S.

Punitive Forces Resume Patrol of Border—Work in Mexico Highly Successful

MARFA, Tex., Aug. 25.—Three hundred and seventy-five American cavalrymen who last Tuesday entered Mexico in pursuit of the bandits who held Lieut. H. G. Peterson and Paul M. Davis, for ransom, were back on American soil today, following abandonment of the chase yesterday. The troops today resumed patrol of the border.

Heavy rains yesterday which obliterated the trails of the bandits brought a decision to abandon the chase after contact had been made with Carranza troops.

The troops began at 11 o'clock to

cross the river at Rocky Ford, seven miles from Ruidosa. The main column was delayed for two hours because of a heavy rain storm.

During the six days the American punitive expedition was below the border four bandits were killed by the troops and another by a mine, while nine bandits are reported to have been captured at Coyame by Carranza soldiers. The captured bandits are said to have been members of the Jesus Renteria band which captured Lieut. Peterson and Davis.

Lieut. George K. Rice and U. L. Boquet, American army aviators who were reported missing below the Rio Grande, yesterday after they had left Roanoke field for Mexico to reconnoiter for the punitive expedition, were located last night at Terlingua, Tex. They had become lost in the rainstorm and made a forced landing. Neither flier was injured.

A report brought to the border by Lieut. Peterson that Jesus Renteria, leader of the bandits, was killed by

American airmen could not be confirmed. The cavalry troops came out of Mexico in excellent condition and without casualties.

WORCESTER SCREW CO. PLANT ON STRIKE

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—The plant of the Worcester Machine Screw Co., virtually was tied up today by a strike of 200 employees whose demand for an increase of 10 per cent. in pay was refused.

BIG WAGE BOOST

St. Louis Sheet Gives Editorial Workers 40 P. C.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 25.—A bonus of 20 per cent. on salaries from Jan. 1 to Aug. 22, was distributed today by the Pulitzer-Publishing Co., to editorial and other employees of the St. Louis Post Dispatch, except mechanical workers under union contracts, as an emergency measure to meet "the extraordinary increase in the present cost of living."

It was announced that another bonus of 20 per cent. dating from Aug. 22 would be paid at the end of the present year. St. Louis newspaper writers recently organized a union.

Lowell in Grip of Storm

to a single fire caused by lightning and as far as is known, nobody was injured.

It was about three o'clock when the mass of black clouds that stole over the city from the west resolved into a heavy downpour. A cooling wind that at times resembled a winter gale preceded the rain and gave

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BOSTON SYMPHONY'S NEW LEADER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Pierre Monteux, new leader of the Boston Symphony orchestra, chosen to succeed Karl Muck interned for alleged pro-German activities and who sailed for Europe last week, arrived here today on the French liner Lorraine from Havre, accompanied by his wife and children. He brought with him the works of several new French composers which will be rendered in this country, but said that German music will have its place on his program. A delegation representing the orchestra met him at the pier.

chilling warning to those in the parks, commons and nearby resorts who had sought to escape the heat. In some parts of the city hall fell and in the territory between Chelsea and Littleton observers noted halibut as large as marbles. For a time the ground was so covered with these particles as to give the impression that snow had fallen.

The telephone company had its usual quota of electrical storm troubles but the repair force made the inconvenience of short duration and today everything was practically normal again. The Western Union's local manager reported that no damage to that company's local lines had been brought to his attention.

Car Lines Damaged

The storm caused considerable damage on the lines of the street railway but luckily no one was injured. Traffic on the Christian Hill line was tied up for two hours in the early evening as the result of a large maple tree falling across the wires at Beech and Sixth streets. In its descent, the tree brought down not alone the trolley wires, but the electric light and telephone wires as well. A wrecking crew soon removed the debris.

An outward-bound Woburn car was struck by lightning in North Billerica at 5 p. m. and totally disabled. The passengers received a momentary scare, but were otherwise uninjured.

Another falling tree on the Broadway line held up traffic for a few moments in the latter part of the afternoon, but the emergency wire crew made short work of the trouble.

During the storm no cars ran beyond Meadow road on the Pelham and Canobie Lake line as the Northeastern Co., which furnishes power beyond that point, decided to shut down its power until the storm passed.

The storm continued intermittently through the afternoon and early evening and the lightning display was at times most brilliant. Toward the close of the storm, heat lightning began to play over the city and brought forth flashes of more than usual duration.

Thermometer Drops 15 Degrees

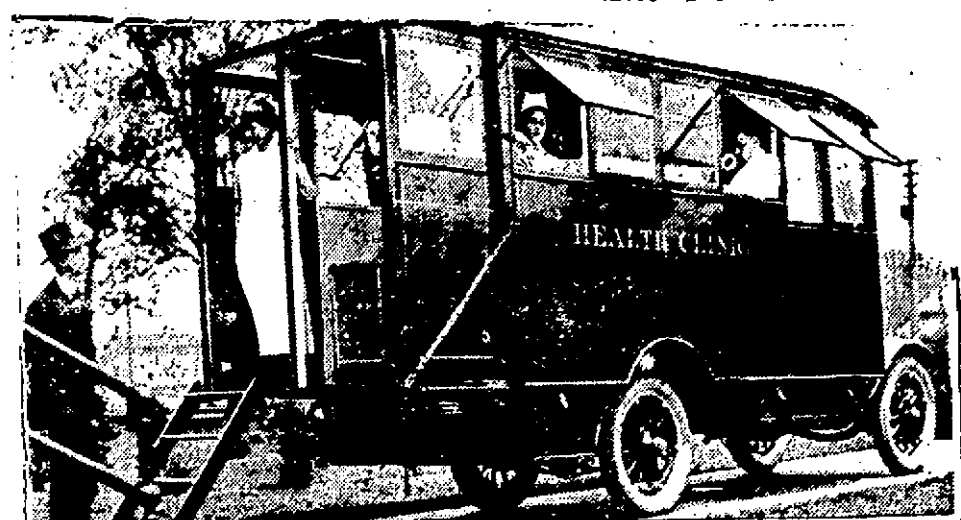
The thermometer took a sudden drop with the coming of the storm. At noon it registered 83 degrees, at 3 p. m. had dropped to 76 and at 5 o'clock last evening went down to 68. The sky remained overcast and there were showers this morning.

The large Niagara on the Talbot mill plant in North Billerica proved an attraction for the lightning when the storm was at its height and as a result was felled to the ground.

Other surrounding towns had reports of trees being struck or blown down and in one or two cases stacks of hay in the fields were blown in all directions.

The volume of the downpour at the beginning of the storm caused damage to a few cellars, but nothing of a serious nature was reported. Lakeview for many Lowell people during the day and the sudden storm taxed the inbound car service to capacity. It was easily the season's biggest electrical storm.

"MEDICINAL TANK" TO COMBAT DISEASE



NEW YORK.—Uncle Sam has organized a "medicinal tank squad" to prevent the spread of tuberculosis and other diseases. It is a traveling clinic, fitted with a dressing room, medical cabinet, examination scales, writing table and chairs. A physician and two nurses accompany the "tank" as it penetrates into remote rural sections where medical aid is hard to obtain.

SIGN PULLMAN CONTRACT

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May Walk Out Wednesday

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gave to vote at 12 noon, today and will continue until the polls close at 7 p. m. The following five questions are on the ballot, calling for a Yes or No vote:

1. In view of the report of the joint conference board to the members of the various divisions, do you accept the revision of the award of August 12, 1919?

2. Are you willing to submit in accordance with the recommendation of the international president the question of wages to a new arbitration board, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employees and the third by the two chosen?

3. Are you willing to accept the recommendation of the international officers and the joint conference board and counsel that the validity of the award in accordance with the question in the report be referred as therein described to three twyers, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employees and the third by the two

chosen?

4. Shall this division suspend work if no agreement can be reached within a reasonable time upon questions two and three?

5. Shall the time when suspension of work goes into effect be left to the sub-committee of five of the joint conference board?

While it is not possible to forecast the result of the vote, opinion throughout the system leads to the belief that the 5300 or more employees will register an intention to strike. The hour at which the suspension of work will go into effect, rests with the sub-committee of five of the joint conference board and while no definite time has been set, it is believed that if the men vote to reject the award as a protest, providing no agreement can be reached between the public trustees and the joint conference board "within a reasonable time," the strike order will go into effect at an early hour on Wednesday.

The carmen interpret the phrase "within a reasonable time" included in question 4 as meaning within the prudence of the international union officers. The trustees already have rejected the plan for a revision of the award by three lawyers. They main-

tain the attitude that there is a binding moral obligation to abide by the war labor board's award, as the sanction of the principle of arbitration is involved. Union leaders assert that the arbitrators stated that discussion of the award might be re-opened in event of "changed conditions."

The vote in Lowell will be counted tonight and sent to Boston for tabulation and the result of the entire system's ballot will probably be made known tomorrow.

The following statement was made last night by the trustees of the road: "The joint conference board and Counsel Valley now crying 'illegal' and demand another arbitration. This is a unique method of trying to evade obeying the arbitration award of the national war labor board."

"Arbitration would be worthless if the award made by two arbitrators appointed by President Wilson, namely, ex-President Taft, representing the public, and Basil M. Stanley, representing labor, could be repudiated on such a flimsy excuse."

"We feel certain that the men are not going to deliberately refuse to abide by the award granting them a wage increase of 13.1 per cent., notwithstanding rumors to the contrary. Again we wish to say that we firmly believe it would be for the best interests of the public to submit to a strike rather than to abandon the most important principle of arbitration—the agreement to abide by the award."

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BIG FOOD SALE HERE TOMORROW

Threatened Street Car Tie-Up Draws Near as Local Car-men Take Strike Vote

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Indictments against nine individuals and eight corporations in connection with the investigation of the high cost of living by the Suffolk grand jury were announced by District Attorney Pelletier today. The names of the individuals will not become public until arrests on the indictment warrants are made.

The corporations indicted in each instance for keeping foodstuffs in cold storage more than a year, were: Boston Fish Pier Co., five counts, involving 123,000 pounds of fresh fish; Bay State Fishing Co., 10,457 pounds of fresh fish; John Burns Co., \$15 pounds of fresh fish; Hyde Wheeler Co., 50,000 pounds of fresh meat; Ginter Co., 1450 pounds of fresh meat; Bay Fish Co., 470 pounds of fresh fish; Harris Poorvu Co., six counts, involving quantities of egg products; Cassius Hunt Co., 1865 pounds of fresh fish.

The district attorney announced that in the course of the inquiry it was discovered that dealers had made it a practice to keep foodstuffs in cold storage in one state for a year, then move them to another state for the legal period, and transfer them again elsewhere. Large quantities of food which have been in cold storage in another state have recently been moved here, the district attorney said, adding that the evidence in this case will be presented to the grand jury when it convenes.

Evidence obtained by the state commission on the necessities of life in its investigation of ice prices and supplies, and other articles also will be made available to the grand jury. The district attorney said he had received information that dealers who had purchased army food in some districts had resold it at a considerable profit, and said these complaints would be investigated to determine whether any criminal action was involved.

Lowell housekeepers will have another chance to purchase government surplus army food at reduced prices tomorrow at 5 p. m. when a second carload of edibles will be placed on sale at the workroom of the Red Cross in Market street under municipal auspices. The sale will continue from 5 to 9 p. m., these hours being chosen to give industrial workers an opportunity to take advantage of the low price inducements offered.

In unpacking the car which arrived here Saturday, it was discovered today that there was no corn in the order, although Mayor Perry D. Thompson had asked for a supply of it. Evidently the demand for corn has been so brisk that the government's supply has been depleted. However, there will be on sale tomorrow canned peas at 10 cents per can, or \$2.40 for a case of 24.

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BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Simultaneously with voting going on today all over the trolley system of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railways company, as to whether the carmen should continue at work after Wednesday, came an important message from William D. Mahon, president of the international carmen's union, who notified the Massachusetts carmen that any strike declaration by them would be unsanctioned by the head organization of which they are an integral part and went far enough to notify the carmen that they must abide by the award of the war labor board of a 12½ per cent increase, unless they were able to persuade the trustees of the Eastern company to reopen the case.

Informally it was recalled to the mind of the Massachusetts carmen that recently Mahon took summary action against the insurgent Pittsburg union.

Union officials as yet make no comment except to admit that returns from early voting indicate a majority of the men favor a strike.

Carmen Throughout Bay State System Voting on Strike Question Today

Trustees Show No Disposition to Yield From Original Decision to Stand by Award

With the employees of the Eastern Massachusetts (Bay State) Street Railway Co. today voting on the question of suspending work unless their latest demands regarding the war labor board's award of 12 per cent. are met by the company and with the public trustees seemingly standing firmly upon their original statement that they will abide by the war board's decision and asking the riding public to submit to a strike "rather than to abandon the most important principle of arbitration, the agreement to abide by an award," Lowell and the remainder of the commonwealth served by this electric railway company again stand on the brink of a street car tie-up as absolute and far-reaching as the one in June. Unofficially, Wednesday is the day set for the strike.

Members of Lowell Division 280, b.

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LOWELL IN GRIP OF SEVERE STORM

QUESTIONS ON BALLOT

PACKER'S MAN FIGHTS BILL

Trees Blown Down, Wires Felled and Car Lines Damaged

Gale Preceded Heavy Down-pour—Hailstones as Large as Marbles

Lowell was not as hard hit by yesterday's electrical storm as cities and towns nearer the coastline, according to reports received from various sections of the city and outlying towns. Snappy as it was for a time, the storm did not do any more serious damage than the destruction of a number of trees. The fire department authorities were not called.

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New Charter, Double Platoon System and 4 Per Cent Beer May Appear

When Lowell voters go to the polls at the state election November 4, there will probably be a number of questions on the ballot requiring approving or disapproving crosses beyond the usual list of nominees for state offices. The Plan B charter question is scheduled to come up at that time and this will be the foremost supplementary matter to be determined. Another matter is the petition of the local firemen for the installation of the double-platoon system in the local department which at the present time is in the hands of the local registrars awaiting their certification before it is filed with the secretary of the commonwealth. At noon today the registrars had not checked the names on the papers filed with City Clerk Stephen Flynn last week.

A third petition which will go on the ballot providing the necessary numbers of signatures are secured calls for the state senators and representatives being instructed to vote for legislation allowing the manufacture of four per cent. beer in Massachusetts. Papers for this petition had not been filed locally at noon today, but were expected momentarily.

A fourth matter to be decided by the voters is whether the recently passed legislative act providing for the expenditure of \$4,000,000 for educational purposes is to become operative. The bill was passed with a referendum attached.

Swift Expert Says Kenyon Resolve to Increase H. C. L. for Country

Attacks Federal Trade Board for its Alleged Inaccuracies in Report

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Further inflation of foodstuff prices would result from the passage of the Kenyon bill to regulate and license the packing industry, L. D. H. Weld, manager of the Commercial Research department of Swift & Co., testified today before the senate agriculture committee, where the bill is under consideration.

"The main objection to the bill," Mr. Weld said, "is in the fact that it was based upon reports of the Federal Trade commission, which are saturated with glaring inaccuracies and misstatements." This would be serious enough, but the matter does not rest there, because the bill, if passed, will further inflate the already high cost of living.

"The Kenyon bill must, either interfere with the farmers' and of meat production, or with the packers' part of the business," he designed to affect the high cost of living," Mr. Weld said. "If the farmer is hit he will cut down production, which will bring higher stock prices. If the packer is hit and his business crippled, the result will be higher manufacturing costs and these, too, will have to be passed on."

Mr. Weld declared many of the statements of Commissioner Colver of the trade commission, a previous witness, were "exaggerated and inaccurate." Swift & Co. owned no retail stores in England, Mr. Weld said, and he had been unable to find that any other American packer did.

"Mr. Colver came in here and told you gentlemen that the five large packers controlled over 5 per cent of the business in hides," he continued. "They handle less than 50 per cent and I assure you there is the keenest competition between all of them."

"Mr. Colver made the flat statement that the packers have not put any new capital into the business from outside sources since 1901. Swift & Co., alone have added \$55,000,000 new cash capital from sales of shares. Mr. Colver persistently ignored the number of packing concerns in business in this country. Some 235 concerns are engaged in interstate business besides the big packers, and moreover several hundred concerns do a big local and intrastate business."

"If the Kenyon bill is passed the splendid and elaborate service given the country at large by the big packers will be interfered with in a way that will hurt everybody concerned—producers, packers and consumers."

FOURTH WEEK OF STRIKE

Four Members of Union Summoned to Court on Injunction Petition

Deputy Sheriff Gately served papers on four members of the Allied Shoe Workers' union this morning to appear at the equity session of the superior court in Boston tomorrow to show cause why an injunction should not be granted against them, restraining them from interfering with the employees of the L. H. Spaulding Shoe Co. These proceedings are similar to those started last week by the Mawhinney Shoe Co. against several members of the Allied Shoe Workers' union and have to do with the strike of shoe workers that has been going on in this city for the past three weeks.

Today marks the beginning of the fourth week of the strike with both the employers and employees holding their ground. The workers have asked recognition of their union and that has been refused by the employers, who are willing to take back all their help and grant them an increase in wages and shorter hours, but who are firm in their decision not to recognize the Allied Shoe Workers' union.

Since the beginning of the strike picketing has been going on at the plants of the Mawhinney Shoe Co., better known as the Federal Shoe Co., and the L. H. Spaulding Shoe Co., and hence the court proceedings. Farley & Tierney will appear for the shoe concerns, while the strikers are represented by D. J. Donahue.

MASS MEETING ENTERS PROTEST

Against Adopting League of Nations or Treaty in Present Form

Strong Addresses by G. W. Pepper and Other Speakers

—Resolutions Adopted

A rousing mass meeting of American citizens representing several nationalities far removed from one another in lineal descent was held in Associate hall last evening to protest against the acceptance of the League of Nations covenant by the United States. Eloquent speakers were enthusiastically applauded and resolutions were adopted protesting against the proposed ratification of the League of Nations and the peace treaty in its present form.

The meeting was open to all Americans for the discussion of an all-American question of great moment. It received the earnest endorsement and co-operation of the United Irish societies of Lowell, and was quite largely attended in spite of the uncertainty of the weather. It had been fair the night before the scheduled time for calling the meeting, but despite the fierce electric storm there was an attendance that nearly filled the hall.

The principal speaker was George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, vice president of the League for the Preservation of American Independence and a jurist of wide reputation. Others who spoke were Hon. Charles S. Lilley, who presided; Hon. Perry D. Thompson, Daniel J. Donahue and Frank Warnock, president of the Lowell Trades and Labor council. Judge Lilley was introduced as presiding officer by Dr. Patrick J. Hagley.

Mr. Lilley briefly reviewed the purpose of the meeting and after reading

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FIRST ROOKIE COP IN BOSTON

Edwin H. Hall, Harvard Teacher, Enrolled With Volunteers Under Mr. Pierce

Policemen Mum on Strike Until After Trials Scheduled for Tuesday

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Organization of a volunteer police force for duty in the event of a strike by the policemen of the city was begun today by former Superintendent William H. Pierce. As the nucleus for the emergency body, it was announced that several former captains and lieutenants and 100 pensioners of the force were available. Four hundred unpaid volunteers will be recruited if possible. They will be armed with night sticks which Commissioner Curtis called in from the regular officers a few days ago.

Harvard Teacher Volunteers

Plans for a meeting of the policemen's union this afternoon were disturbed by orders to the officers at some stations to report for duty at 3 o'clock. The meetings had been set for 2:30.

Volunteers for emergency patrol service reported to former Superintendent Pierce at the Chamber of Commerce, where recruiting headquarters were opened. The first man to volunteer was Edwin H. Hall of Cambridge, professor of physics at Harvard university.

MAN AND WIFE DEAD

Note at Westerly, R. I., Indicates Husband Did Deed

WESTERLY, R. I., Aug. 25.—Rhodes Davis and his wife Elizabeth, were found shot to death in their home here today. A note written by Davis indicated that he did the shooting. He said he was "tired of all that has happened and could not stand it any longer." Friends knew of no motive for the killing. The couple were seen by a killer about 1 a. m., and appeared to be in good spirits. They had five children.

CAN YOU BEAT IT ?

CAN YOU EXPLAIN IT ?

There are keen men and women in Lowell. Possessors of personal property of value, of papers that if lost could not be replaced; keen in accumulating, who follow the habit of hiding their possessions in secret places, known only to themselves. To be sure, it's going to be their funeral and they pay the bills.

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GREAT FRENCH AUTO RACE NEXT YEAR

PARIS, Aug. 1.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The revival of the French annual automobile race, the "Grand Prix" is under discussion with the chances that the event will be run in 1920, if enough entries are obtained.

Lowell Aerie 223, F. O. E.

Meeting of the Outing Committee Tuesday Evening, Aug. 26, at 7:30. Tickets will be distributed. Tickets will be in the hands of the committee only.

PETER F. WRADY, Chairman. MARTIN J. CROWE, Secretary.

PEOPLE TO DECIDE

Sec. Daniels Talks Politics at Hawaiian Feast

U.S.S. NEW YORK, Hawaii, Hawaiian Islands, Aug. 25.—(By the Associated Press).—When asked today regarding the outcome of a conference of Honolulu democrats, Secretary of the Navy Daniels remarked that "the Wilson administration has no candidate for president. That is for the people to decide."

Asked regarding his own possible candidacy, he said: "My candidacy is for the people to decide."

Secretary Daniels went ashore on arrival yesterday, and was the guest with officers and men of the Pacific units here, at a pretty native feast given by the Hilo board of trade. In the afternoon the party went to the Kilauea volcano.

From all over the island of Hawaii, residents came to Hilo to view the dreadnought New York and the four destroyers which accompanied her.

SUPREME COUNCIL TO HAVE AUSTRIAN TREATY

PARIS, Aug. 25.—The treaty with Austria will be considered by the supreme council this afternoon and probably will be handed to the Austrian delegation tomorrow. Five days will be given for consideration unless the Austrians ask for a longer delay.

Cost \$1,000,000 Month For U. S. to Guard Huns

PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 23.—(By the Associated Press).—Ten thousand American troops are held in France to guard 40,000 Germans taken prisoner by the Americans, who cannot be returned to Germany until the peace treaty has been ratified by three powers. It is estimated that it is costing the United States, roughly, one million dollars monthly to care for these prisoners.

England's German prisoners number a quarter of a million and more than 60,000 British soldiers are required to look after them. Both the United States and England expected to release the Germans when the peace treaty was signed, but France was unwilling that this should be done until ratification was complete.

U. S. Boys Back Before Winter

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Return of the 6500 selective service men with the American forces in Siberia, will be completed before winter. Representative Osborn of California, was told today by Secretary Baker. About 3000 volunteer replacements already have gone forward, Mr. Baker said, 1500 more are ready to go, and enlistments available for this service average about 50 per day.

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News of the Churches

The usual services were carried out in the local Catholic churches yesterday and large numbers received communion at the early masses.

Rev. Thomas F. Markham, D.D., who recently returned to this country after being ordained at Rome and who celebrated his first solemn high mass here last Sunday at St. Peter's church, will return to Rome in October for further study at the American college there.

Members of the O.M.I. Cadets Drum corps left today for Derry, N. H., where they are to take part in the town's centennial observances.

St. Patrick's

Rev. James Supple, D.D., celebrated the late mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday and also made the announcements. At the early masses large numbers received communion, but none of the societies received in a body.

Sacred Heart

Rev. T. Franklin Wood, O.M.I., celebrated the late mass at the Sacred Heart church yesterday. At the 7.30 o'clock mass members of the Children of Mary sodality received communion. The pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., was the celebrant and Rev. John Doherty, O.M.I., assisted in giving communion.

Immaculate Conception

Rev. James B. McCartin, O.M.I., celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at the Immaculate Conception church yesterday and also made the announcements. The senior branch of the Children of Mary sodality received communion at one of the early masses.

St. Peter's

Rev. Peter Linehan celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday and also made the announcements. The usual services were held last evening.

St. Michael's

Rev. T. J. Heagney celebrated the late mass at St. Michael's church yesterday. There were many communicants at the early masses.

St. Margaret's

The pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan, was the celebrant of the 11 o'clock mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday and Rev. Stephen Murray celebrated the early masses.

St. Columba's

Rev. Patrick J. Hally, the pastor, celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at St. Columba's church and Rev. Francis McNeill the early masses.

Calvary Baptist

"Modern Christianity" was the subject discussed at the Calvary Baptist church yesterday morning. Rev. A. C. Berrie, of Eastport, Me., was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the topic "The Holy Ghost."

First Baptist

Rev. Albert G. Warner took for his sermon topic at the First Baptist church yesterday morning: "Is Church Attendance Worth While?" He spoke in the evening on the theme: "The Gospel of the Upturned Face."

Immanuel Baptist

"God Is Love" was the topic of the sermon at the Immanuel Baptist church yesterday morning. The preacher was Rev. F. H. Rose of Richmond, Va. He spoke in the evening on the subject: "What Is Wrong With the World?"

Christian Science

The regular services were held at the Christian Science churches of the city yesterday and the subject under discussion was: "Mind."

Elliot Union Congregational

"What Would Jesus Do?" was the topic discussed at the Elliot Union Congregational church yesterday morning by Rev. Leslie W. Sprague of Worcester.

First Congregational

Rev. Clarence A. Vincent, D.D., took for his subject at the First Congregational church yesterday morning: "The Limited and the Limitless in Every Life."

Pawtucket Congregational

"The Only Road" was the subject discussed at the Pawtucket Congrega-

tional church yesterday morning. Rev. Charles S. Howell was the preacher.

Highland Congregational

"Where Are We Going?" was the topic of the sermon at the Highland Congregational church yesterday. Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins of North Chelmsford was the preacher.

Jewish Synagogues

The usual services were held at the Jewish Synagogues on Saturday. St. Paul's J. E.

"Modern Christians" was the subject discussed at St. Paul's M. E. church yesterday morning. Rev. Walter Healy of Lynn was the preacher.

Highland M. E.

Rev. C. L. Boches preached at the morning service at the Highland M. E. church yesterday. The preacher in the evening was Rev. J. E. Deansmore.

First Primitive Methodist

"The Only Foundation" was the topic of the morning service at the First Primitive Methodist church yesterday. Rev. N. W. Matthews was the preacher and spoke in the evening on the theme: "A Startling Denial."

First Presbyterian

Rev. Joseph E. Kennedy preached yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian church on the topic: "Our Windows-Holland."

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg. Lending Library at Kittredge's.

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Items for this column must be signed to insure publication.

Miss Eva M. Lantagne of 14 Albion street has gone to Salisbury beach for ten days.

Miss Beatrice Laidlaw of the Lowell Guild has returned from a pleasant sojourn at Old Orchard.

Miss Irene Donnelly of The Sun business office will spend the next two weeks in Mt. Vernon, N. H.

Miss Margaret M. McDougall of Broadway has returned from an enjoyable vacation at the beaches.

Miss Alice D. Gallagher of 56 West Fourth street will leave for Ashfield next Monday to resume her teaching in that town.

Miss Agnes Liston of Fort Hill avenue is visiting friends at Atlantic this week and next week she will spend in Newport, R. I.

Miss Mary A. Nawa of Park Ridge, Illinois, formerly of Lowell, is visiting her cousin, George H. Nawa of 240 Stevens street.

Mr. Frank T. Donnellan of Chicago, Illinois, is spending his vacation with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Donnellan of 21 Saratoga street.

Miss Noela M. Paquin of The Sun's linotype operating staff has been granted a three months' leave of absence in order that she may enjoy a needed rest for purposes of recuperation.

A. S. Goldman has denied his intention to abandon his law practise in Lowell for the moving-picture business. Although Mr. Goldman has acquired an interest in the Park theatre in Nashua, he will continue his practise in this city, for the present at least.

The Middlesex North Agricultural Society will conduct an auto excursion to the farm of Walter B. Farmer,

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Hampton Falls, N. H., Wednesday, and all local farmers, fruit growers and poultry fanciers are invited to make the trip. The party will leave the city at 1 a. m.

First Lieut. James H. Connor of this city has returned home after extended overseas service with the 59th Division. Lieut. Connor had previously been connected with the Stone & Webster Construction people and before entering the service made a trip to France as a civil engineer. He enlisted in the service in July, 1918.

Rev. John Welsh, a former Lowell boy, and for several years pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Jonesboro, Ind., is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welsh of 2 Stanley avenue. Rev. Mr. Welsh will preach at the First Presbyterian church in Appleton street next Sunday, and plans to leave shortly afterwards for Indiana.

Twenty members of the Y. M. C. A., who went out camping during the past week, left this city at 7.55 o'clock this morning for Boston, where at noon they will board a private yacht and cruise the south shore for a week. The excursionists will make their headquarters at Newport, R. I., and will visit many interesting places. The party is in charge of T. R. Williams, local boys' secretary and B. F. Anderson of Boston. They will return Saturday.

The George C. Fairburn Co., Inc. which purchased the Fox restaurant in Bridge street, last Saturday, as announced in the late edition of The Sun, plans to continue the restaurant and will install additional facilities for handling the business. A large bakery will be installed in the basement of the Mann store, also recently taken over by the Fairburn company, while a delicatessen department will be added with a policy of serving hot meals at meal hours.

Miss Anne Langlais, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Langlais of 26 James street, who will soon be married to Mr. Joseph Dusseault, was

tendered a reception at her home Friday evening, the affair being attended by over 50 friends and relatives. Miss Langlais was showered with appropriate gifts and best wishes and later a varied musical program was given, those taking part being Misses Irene Podneault, Eva Manseau, Diana Lavale, Juliette Lanoue, Maria Gaudette, Antoinette and Yvonne Montmarquet, J. Chappelaire and Mrs. G. Pournier. A luncheon was served. Those responsible for the success of the event were Misses Eva Manseau, Cora Mailloz and Corinne Langlais.

Mass Meeting Enters Protest

Continued

Article 19 of the covenant, which has to do with the preservation as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league, asserted that he could not interpret its meaning in any other way than that this country would be bound to go to the assistance of any other league nation whenever that power was menaced from without or within. He denounced the article as un-American and then introduced George Wharton Pepper as the principal speaker.

Mr. Pepper's Address

Mr. Pepper regretted that another engagement would not allow him to speak for as long a time as he wished, and asked the indulgence of his audience if he seemed to hurry away after a brief address.

"I will venture to say," he began, "that no more important question than the consideration of the League of Nations covenant has been before the American people in our time. It is not only a question of what the terms of this international partnership shall be, but whether the United States can best play its part in the reconstruction of the world and secure our generation and the ones to follow if we enter into any league which fetters us and curbs our activities. This is the question you, as individual men and women, must decide: Shall the United States enter upon a partnership with foreign nations and if so, upon what terms?"

"What are we to do with this treaty with Germany? It is divided into two parts: the first, which sets up a league of nations and the second which contains the treaty proper. Study it carefully and you will find many indemnities laid, many obligations to be assumed, but you will seek in vain for a single sentence which even intimates a solitary benefit to the United States. But on the other hand, you will find many paragraphs which impose liabilities upon us. I venture to say that it is the first time in the history of diplomacy that a nation of the world has been asked to sign a treaty in which it has no mention other than on the liability side.

"Please do not misunderstand me. Please do not think for a moment that I would countenance a shrinking from our international responsibilities or obligations of war. If obligations are assumed they must be paid to the full extent.

"Let me give you three fundamental liberties which we must cling to and which must not be obscured by any covenant or partnership. They are:

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"We must have unhampered freedom to defend the right, to go to the succor of other and friendly nations and to resort to war in self-defense. We must have the freedom to refuse to fight and not allow ourselves to be drawn into foreign squabbles in which we have no interest. Yes, a freedom to refuse to fight, and when we do go in to have the right to pick out the fellow on whose side to want to throw our strength. We must have the freedom to mind our own business and maintain our traditional policies.

"Do not be swayed by the argument that we may enter this alliance with the reserved right to withdraw at any time. The right to withdraw is there, true enough, but it also contains the provision that we must have fulfilled all of our international obligations at the time of withdrawal. Compare it to an every-day matter of business. It is like a man who expresses a willingness to sign a note for you, but does not care to have his name appear upon it as an endorsement. You say to him, 'Well, you just sign it and let me go to the bank and get the money, for I am in great need of that, and then tomorrow you go to the bank cashier and ask him to please scratch your name off the note.' Neither governments nor bank cashiers do business that way.

"Do not give an ear to the man who says, 'Sign it now and amend it afterward.' Here again it may be easily compared to the business contract of partnership. Let us suppose that you were a party to a contract, several articles of which were to your disadvantage. A lawyer advises you to sign nevertheless and immediately upon signature write a letter to your prospective partner telling him of the articles which do not please you and tell him they are to be interpreted thus and so. Don't commit yourselves to it. Do not accept this contract of partnership before you are sure it is right and safe. You men and women of Lowell, assert your New England right and your New England habit of generations, to do your own thinking. Don't let someone do it for you on this tremendous question.

"The senate foreign relations committee today stands out as the only group of American citizens who are seriously attempting to safeguard the United States in this matter. They oppose the ratification of the treaty in its present form. Go you and do likewise and tell your senators and representatives of your beliefs. Don't consent to vagueness or ambiguities. Let's have this matter clear and concise before we go a step farther. I admire the stand of Germany just prior to her invasion of Poland more than a vassalizing policy and doubting clauses. Germany was wrong when she declared that military procedure necessitated this in-

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At 45¢ Each—Children's Slips, made of a very fine quality of nainsook, trimmed with embroidery; sizes 6 to 14 years; 59c to 69c value.

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At 35¢ Each—Children's White Skirts, sizes 2 to 6 years, made of fine nainsook and cambric, with fine tucks or trimmed with fine embroidery; 50c value.

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vision, but, at least she was frank in her statements.

"Insist on the freedom to defend the right; freedom to refuse to fight and a freedom to mind our own business."

The speaker left the hall amid deafening applause, the audience remaining on its feet and cheering for several minutes.

Resolutions Adopted

James O'Sullivan then presented a set of resolutions to the meeting, offered against the ratification of the treaty in its present form and for the furtherance of American ideals and traditions. They were unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Daniel J. Donahue

Daniel J. Donahue was introduced as the next speaker and with characteristic forcefulness. In part, he said:

"The question for all Americans to answer is: Do you want this evil thing, that torres, anti-Americans and international financial interests are so anxious to saddle on us?"

"Under this covenant and treaty the Europeans get all the rewards; we get nothing. England gets most of Africa and a big slice of Asia; we get the privilege of protecting England's plunder and paying the bills. Japan is permitted to rob China of the rich province of Shantung and 36,000,000 Chinese, and we are pledged to safeguard the plunder and wage war on our helpless friend, to the lasting dishonor of America. We supply men and money and abandon our independence; and our partners supply the hunger and the greed."

This is the covenant in a nutshell. Do the American people want it? Do you want it? If you don't, let your senator know it and vote against it.

In conclusion the speaker urged the defeat of the covenant and the treaty in its present form.

"The covenant binds the United States to assume obligations, make pledges and accept responsibilities which weaken its sovereignty, abridge its independence, over-ride its constitution, nullify the Monroe Doctrine, violate its practices, and transform this country into a colony or dependency, subject to a super-government situated in Europe, made up of a combination of European and Asiatic empires and autocracies, British colonies, second rate powers, and new, dependent and nondescript nationalities.

"It is for Americans to say whether the monstrous treachery, masquerading as a new dispensation, and speaking in the name of peace and humanity, shall be consummated; and all the sacrifices and achievements of our historic

past be cast into the limbo of human failure. It is for Americans to decide whether the anti-American forces of the world shall achieve by trick and trap, by pen and pretence, the destruction of this home of liberty, which open war and secret conspiracy have hitherto failed to accomplish.

Mayor Thompson

Mayor Perry D. Thompson was the next speaker and he briefly expressed his opposition to the league in its present draught.

"Two or three months ago there came to Lowell a man from Boston who said he wished to form a club with my sanction to put across the League of Nations. I asked him to meet me the following Sunday when I would be surrounded by an advisory committee which helped me greatly during the war. The meeting took place and of that gathering, but one vote was cast in favor of a League of Nations club and that vote was cast by a man born and brought up in England. That determined the sentiment of the committee and we did not sanction the forming of the club. The visitor presented the argument that if America accepted the league it could be amended later but the men of the committee, being all business men, felt as your previous speaker said, that all contracts should be satisfactory before any signatures were attached.

"Every father and mother of the city loves their children, but they are perfectly willing their sons should go when the flag calls them. I was myself and so was Mrs. Thompson and when a paper came from Culver, Ind., asking us to release ourson for army service we willingly did so. I believe we would do it again under the same circumstances but I don't believe we would do it for somebody else outside of the Stars and Stripes and send our boy to fight under the orders of a foreign country."

Frank Warnock, president of the Lowell Trades and Labor council, represented labor and spoke of some of the league clauses unacceptable to labor organizations. He denounced the giving of Thrace to Bulgaria, condemned the Shantung affair and asked why England does not do with Ireland what this country did with Cuba.

"Some will argue," he said, "that Ireland is not self supporting and yet about 34 million dollars went from that country into England last year. I came here to represent the laboring classes and to urge that our senators, Walsh and Lodge will impress upon our president the need of living up to our promises."

Judge Lilley spoke briefly in closing the meeting and then James E. Donnelly won great applause in his solo, "Freedom for All Forever."

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Finance Writer Credits Trick-ery to Americans in Delaying Credit Grants

BERLIN, Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Georg Muech, the financial writer on the Tageblatt scores the United States for failing to assist Germany financially, and asserts that Americans are even guilty of machination to depress the value of the mark artificially.

"Americans are exploiting Germany's needy situation most selfishly," he declares, "by delaying to grant credit which Germany needs, and depressing the value of the mark with the intention of obtaining such German products as dyes, chemicals and brushes at low prices. On the other hand, they offer American products to German buyers at as high prices as possible. It is poor comfort for us to know that the Americans are playing the same game as their former allies."

Herr Muech says the American government now could show whether it "really wishes to help Germans in their work of reconstruction by allowing Germany to enter the American money market."

"Not without reason," he concludes, "do the glances of economic leaders turn toward the east. It is ever clearer that rescue is to be found there."

SUGAR SHORTAGE CONTINUES HERE

The sugar famine is still on in Lowell, and wholesalers hold out little hope that the shortage may be abated soon. Of course, one may buy all the "brown" sugar one wishes, but as one housewife said to a Sun man: "Who the dickens wants brown sugar in one's coffee, pies and doughnuts?"

Many restaurants have substituted loaf sugar for the old fashioned kind, and in some cases are even dictating to the customer as to the number of lumps he or she may use—all of which doesn't sweeten one's disposition to any great extent.

None of the wholesalers are willing to hazard a guess as to the length of time which must elapse before Lowell folks will again be able to order up a few pounds of sugar and get away with it. If one attempts to place an order nowadays for this sweet the grocer usually looks one over most carefully, scratches his head with an "How do they get that way?" expression, and then tells you that there is absolutely nothing doing.

DEATHS

TARELLA.—Mrs. Mary (Higgins) Tarella, a well-known resident of this city, died Sunday at her home, 273 Rogers street, after a long illness. She leaves her husband, John, one son, John Jr., a daughter, Dorothy, and two brothers, Michael and John Riley, all of this city.

DESROSIERS.—Mrs. Marie (Rousseau) Desrosiers died Saturday at the home of her son, Avila Desrosiers, 142 Ennall street, aged 67 years. She leaves nine children, Mrs. Fortuna Laine, Mrs. Pierre Leclerc, of Montreal, Joseph A. Louis Jr., Avila, Honore and Edgar Desrosiers, Mrs. George L. Biron and Mrs. W. Woolfall, all of Lowell.

MORRISON.—Fred C. Morrison, formerly of this city, died yesterday in Ayr at the age of 37 years. He was a graduate of the Lowell Textile school.

McNAUGHTON.—Stephen D. McNaughton, a former resident of this city, died yesterday at his home, 282 Broadway, Lawrence. He leaves three sons, Stephen, William and Richard McNaughton.

McMILLAN.—Stephen McMullen died in this city yesterday morning, aged 88 years, 9 months, 2 days and the body was removed to the undertaking rooms of Hiram C. Brown. It will be forwarded to Basking Ridge, N. J., where services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HANNON.—Frederick E. Hannon, son of Elias and the late Catherine (McNamara) Hannon, died today after a lingering illness. Deceased resided at 50 Wilson street, North Billerica and was an esteemed member of St. Andrew's church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther (Kearney) Han-



THEY CAN'T HELP BUT WIN

NEW YORK.—Now the striking actors can't help but win, for look who's at the head of the fight. It's Ed Wynn, the nutty monologist, and with him is Billie Farrell, of the Rialto.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BROWN.—The funeral of Catherine Brown will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 215 Cross street. Funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

DESROSIERS.—The funeral of Marie Desrosiers will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her son, Avila Desrosiers, 142 Ennall street at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Louis church at 9 o'clock. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Napoleon Bilodeau.

McNAUGHTON.—The funeral of Stephen McNaughton will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 282 Broadway, Lawrence. At 9 o'clock a solemn high mass will be celebrated. The body will be brought to Lowell for burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertaker J. F. Rogers in charge.

ROARKE.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Roarke will take place on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 483 Broadway. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge. Motor cortege.

SULLIVAN.—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Sullivan will take place Wednesday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. John J. Shea, 180 Mammoth road at 8:15 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Columba's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements. Auto cortege. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to all my relatives and friends for their kindness and words of consolation during my recent bereavement. I wish to especially thank the girls of No. 8 mill card room of Boot Mills.

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CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to express their sincere thanks to their relatives and friends, and particularly to the employees of the Silesia Worsted mills of North Chelmsford, who in their words and acts of kindness helped to lighten our sorrow in the bereavement of our beloved husband and father.

MRS. MARY HINES and Family.

Schools, now starting up again in Poland after a lapse of five years, are at a great loss for text books and materials. At a girls' school in Pinsk, an American Jewish relief worker found a class in embroidery working with thread that had been unraveled from old worn out socks.

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FUNERALS

KOWALSKA.—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Kowalska took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents, 175 Fayette street. The services were conducted by Rev. A. Gogonowski, pastor of Trinity Polish Catholic Church on High street. The bearers were J. Tirley, Frank Bonk, S. Puzyn, M. Wegzyn, F. Kastrzew and F. Szweczy. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, Chelmsford. The funeral was largely attended and was under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Sadowski.

ADAMS.—The funeral of Arthur F. Adams took place Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 375 Lakeview avenue. The services were well attended and there were many flowers. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery and the arrangements were under the supervision of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

HANAFIN.—The funeral of Annie Hanafin took place from the chapel of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons yesterday noon. The body was taken to Thompsonville, Conn., where services and burial took place.

McGOWAN.—The funeral of Hugh McGowan took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his home, 65 Varum street, and was largely attended. Division 8, A.O.U.W., of which the deceased was a member, turned out in a body and their number was augmented by delegations from other divisions of the A.O.U.W., led by a band. The bearers were Andrew F. Roach, Charles Higgins, Thomas Derrance, James O'Sullivan, John C. Bourke, John Heslin, Charles Slowe and Thomas Neveus. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Those who came from out of town were Frank McGowan of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Devine and family of Boston. Among the organizations represented by delegations was the Princeton A.C. by Thomas Tarpey, John McCarthy and Walter Cunningham. The Wolf Tone Guards' delegation acted as an escort to the body. The Ladies' Auxiliary A.O.U.W., was represented by Mrs. Maria O'Connor, Mrs. Catherine Oorgan, Mrs. Catherine McKennedy, Mrs. Nora Sheridan, Miss Bridget Murray, Mrs. Nora McInerney and Mrs. Bridget McAnnam. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Stullig of St. Michael's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker J. F. Rogers.

LEMIRE.—The funeral of Ruth M. Lemire, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lemire, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 481 Gorham street, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fazio.

NUNO.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Nuno, widow of Mr. Nuno, took place from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services were held at the chapel, Rev. Arthur St. John officiating. Burial was in the Eden cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PARENT.—The funeral of Miss Aurora Parent took place Saturday from the home of her mother, Mrs. Cordelia Parent, 189 Hall street. Funeral mass was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church by Rev. Louis Bachand, O.M.I. The bearers were Orlia and William Parent, Joseph Milette, L. Garneau, Alfred Dube and Henry Lemieux. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Rosario J. Albert, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

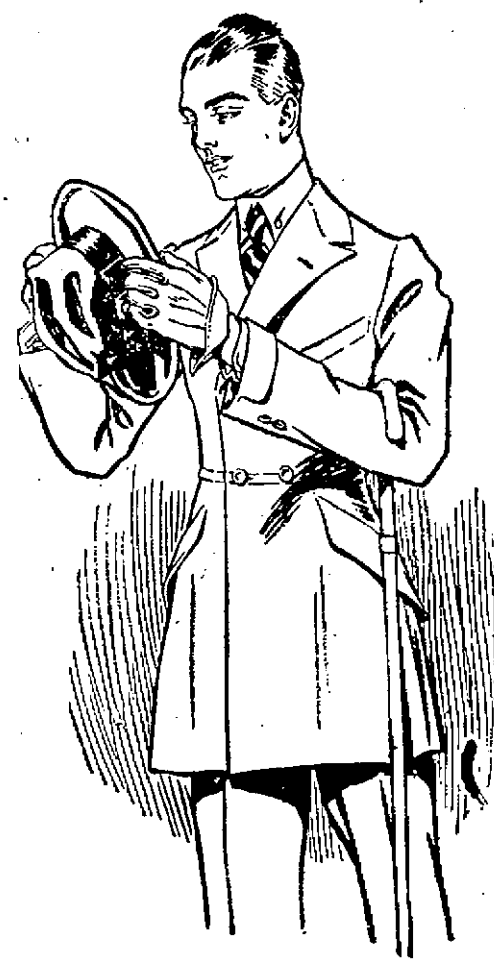
WOOD.—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Wood took place at 2 o'clock at her daughter, Mrs. Frederick G. Humphriss, 70 Smith street, Saturday at 2 p.m. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were Messrs. Herbert H. Humphriss, John T. Riles, Michael Grady, Joseph Bonrke, Joseph Tarella, William Tarella and Michael Grady. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Stanley Wood read the committal prayers at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

TARELLA.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary (Higgins) Tarella took place Monday morning from her home, 273 Rogers street at 7:30 o'clock. At St. Joseph's Lithuanian church a funeral high mass of requiem was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. Stanley Kuczar. The choir sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by W. A. Mack. There were beautiful floral tributes placed upon the grave. The casket was borne from the church to the hearse by the following friends and relatives: Messrs. John T. Riles, Michael Grady, Joseph Bonrke, Joseph Tarella, William Tarella and Michael Grady. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Stanley Wood read the committal prayers at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

CORRIVEAU.—The funeral of Mrs. Ludger Corriveau took place this morning from her home, 115 Ford street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Aurelien Morell, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I. A hearse and Rev. L. C. Babin officiated as sub-deacon. The bearers were N. Corriveau, F. Blanchette, D. Dube, J. Lampron, A. Blanchette and P. Gaudet. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Desloz, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Ameece Archambault & Sons.

JOYAL.—The funeral of Mrs. Marie Joyal took place Saturday from the home of 146 Aiken avenue. Funeral mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. R. Labossiere, assisted by Rev. Eugene Vincent and Rev. Fr. Gaudet. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. J. R. Labossiere, assisted by Rev. Eugene Vincent and Rev. Fr. Gaudet. The choir under the direction of Mr. O. David sang the Gregorian mass, Miss Ida L. Monrohan at the organ. The bearers were Mr. J. R. Labossiere and Trefle Desmarais, Alberic Joyal. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Desloz, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

TENDERED RECEPTION.—Miss Jennie McGrath of 11 June at was tendered reception at her home by a group of friends last evening and as a token of esteem was presented several valuable gifts. A buffet lunch



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SWORD-FISH Center Cut. Pound 39c	EGGS, fancy selected, every egg guaranteed to be good—At both stores. Doz. 51c	CELERY Native. At Both Stores. Bunch 18c
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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph A. E. Duracher and Miss Marie Louise L. Raymond were married yesterday at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Augustin Gratot, O.M.I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Moise Duracher and Etienne Raymond. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 420 Moody street.

Rochelleau-Barton

The marriage of Mr. Joseph A. E. Rochelleau and Miss Ella Barton took place yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Charles Deniot, O.M.I. The best man was Mr. Edmund Rochelleau, while the bridesmaid was Miss Alice Male. A reception was held at the close of the ceremony at the home of the bride, 25 Adams street.

Blanchette-Blanchette

Mr. Adelard Cyriel Blanchette and Miss Olive Blanchette were married this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock in the private chapel of St. Joseph's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I. The witnesses were Messrs. Eudoviste Blanchette and Omer Blanchette.

son was served and entertainment numbers were given by Howard Hartley, John Sheehan and others. The party broke up at a seasonable hour, the guests extending their best wishes to their hostess.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR NEW CHAPEL FUND

A very interesting meeting of the general committee in charge of the fund raising campaign for the erection of a new Catholic chapel at Lakeview, was held yesterday noon at the close of the high mass and according to reports submitted at the meeting everything is running along as nicely as can be expected. Several substantial donations have already been received and among the last to be acknowledged is one for \$25 from Mrs. Ann Flannery, to the memory of her son, Corp. Edward Flannery, who died at Camp Jackson, Ga., last year. In the course of the meeting it was announced that all the arrangements for the concert, to be given next Sun-

day evening at the Lakeview theatre have been completed and it is expected the hall will be taxed to its capacity, for already several hundred tickets have been disposed of. Some of the best local talent will be heard in pleasing numbers, while it is expected that a feature of the program will be the vocal selections by Francis C. Chantreau of Boston, a Parisian singer, who at one time was connected with the old Boston Opera Co. Mr. Chantreau will sing in French and English and for the first time will render the famous De Valera song, one of his own compositions, dedicated to the president of the Irish republic. It was also announced that everything is shaping well for the box party to be given in the chapel Wednesday evening by the

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Henry H. Hackett, Post Office Clerk, Cambridge, Mass., says: "I would be glad to write or tell any one what Var-ne-sis did for me when I had Rheumatism so bad, I could walk only on the toe of my foot." Write him, or W. A. Vanezy, Lynn, Mass.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	44	25	63.6
Detroit	41	28	59.1
Cleveland	38	31	55.2
St. Louis	35	34	50.7
New York	32	37	46.4
Boston	29	40	42.1
Washington	26	43	37.7
Philadelphia	23	46	33.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Chicago 4, New York 1.
Washington 5, St. Louis 1.
Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 1.
Boston 8, Detroit 2.

GAMES TOMORROW

Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.

WOMEN'S GOLF

TOURNAMENT

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 25.—One of the largest and best fields of golfers ever entered in a Women's Western Golf association tournament was to begin play for the title at the Detroit Golf club today. 130 entered. Miss Elaine Rosenthal, the title holder who won from Miss Frances Hadfield, the Milwaukee star at Indian Hill, last year, will not play in this tournament. Among the well known players entered are Miss Hadfield, Mrs. Arnold Jackson, Chicago, who has twice won the national championship; Miss Elizabeth Klotz, Chicago, city champion; Miss Lucille Descherberg, Kalamazoo, Mich., champion and Mrs. F. C. Letts, Jr., Chicago, formerly twice western champion.

Thirty-two will qualify for the championship fight which begins tomorrow.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—The grand circuit race meeting at the Revere track was scheduled to begin today with the American Horse Breeders' society for three-year-old pacers, a two-year-old trot, the 2.15, and a 2.18 early closing trotting classes, and a match race between Ante Guy (2:53 1/4) and Lou Princeton 2.09 on the opening day. The races were not started as early in the day and the track was heavy from an all night downpour.

McLOUGHLIN TO

ATTEMPT "COMEBACK"

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, the California "comedian" singles champion in 1912, and 1913, will try for a "comeback" in the championship tournament of the United States Lawn Tennis which began today at the West Side tennis club's courts at Forest Hills, N. Y. McLoughlin has been chosen to represent the United States by meeting Crasie of New York.

Gerald L. Patterson of Australia, the world's title holder; R. Lindley Murray, winner of last year's tournament, and two former champions, W. Norris Williams of Boston and William Johnston, San Francisco and many other stars of the tennis world were entered on the matches on today's card. Two other matches played on the grand stand court were Patterson against Frederick B. Alexander of New York and Conrad E. Doyle of Washington against E. Howard Voshell of Brooklyn, former national indoor champion.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT POSTPONED

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Rain caused the postponement of the first round of the national singles lawn tennis championship at Forest Hills today. Heavy showers had soaked the turf so deeply that the tournament committee decided it would destroy the court surface to permit competition, and the opening matches were carried over until tomorrow.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cincinnati	39	26	59.7
New York	38	27	58.3
Chicago	35	30	53.8
Pittsburgh	32	33	49.3
Brooklyn	31	34	47.8
Boston	29	36	44.4
Philadelphia	28	37	43.0

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Brooklyn 10, St. Louis 1.
New York 1, Pittsburgh 0.

GAMES TOMORROW

Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at New York.

K. OF C. WINS WHEN PERE MARQUETTE QUILTS

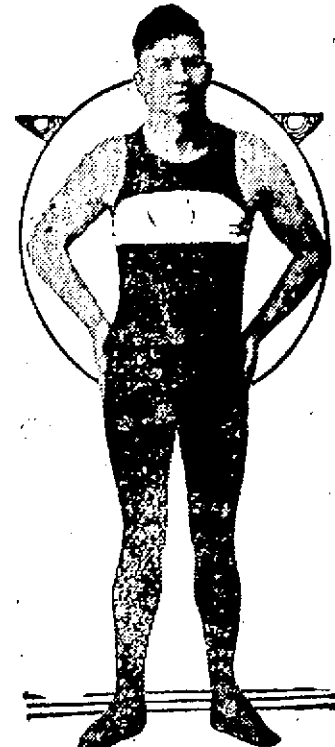
With one man out in the first half of the eighth inning the tying runs on the bases and the score 3 to 1 against them the Pere Marquette team of Boston refused to abide by an umpire's ruling on a play at second base in the game against the Lowell Knights of Columbus on the South common Saturday afternoon and after stalling for nearly 15 minutes allowed the contest to go to the local club by forfeit.

Quitting the visitors unsatisfactorily broke up one of the best games of ball seen on a local diamond in many moons. For seven innings Owen Devlin, who held the hard-hitting Boston men without a hit or a run and was given wonderful support. He was given a real battle by Berry, the box for Walter Miller of the Los Angeles Athletic club, Ted Thye of Portland, Oregon, new middle weight wrestling champ is preparing for a trip throughout the east to take on all comers in his class. Thye was developed by Mike Butler, boxing and wrestling instructor of Portland.

On several occasions Owen pitched himself into holes by allowing the first batter to get on either through a base on balls or by being hit by a pitched ball but on every occasion either Walter Koz or some member of the infield came to his assistance with startling catches or rifle-shot throws and cut down the base runner. The wonderful play of the game was made by Jim O'Day in the fourth inning and was a fine sample of the brand of support the Knights accorded their twirler.

McMahon, Boston shortstop, was hit by a pitched ball and was sacrificed to second by Gorman. Plansky, the heartiest hitter of the visiting outfit caught a straight ball on the end of his bat and drove it on a line over second base. It was safe beyond question and McCarthy set sail for third on his trip to the plate. But Harper O'Day, playing well over toward first started with the crack of the bat, sped over toward the key stone sack and crossing a strove hand over his right shoulder went up and up and dragged down the ball. He stepped on second and completed a double play with ease. It was one of the most gorgeous catches ever seen in the city; plain daylight robbery of the boldest sort. The slab pulled the huge crowd to its feet and O'Day was given a tremendous ovation.

Cawley scored the first Lowell run in the fifth. His hit to center was the first safe drive off Berry. He went down to second on the third ball pitched and flat-footed along to third when O'Brien's throw sailed to center field. Plansky cut over from right and intercepted the ball, but in turn tossed it a mile over Kaup's head at third and Ed scored easily. Two more came in the sixth. Devlin was safe on McMahon's boot. O'Day hit to Kaup who had an easy force play at second, but McMahon allowed the former's throw



SENDS CHALLENGE TO ALL COMERS

Following his recent victory over Walter Miller of the Los Angeles Athletic club, Ted Thye of Portland, Oregon, new middle weight wrestling champ is preparing for a trip throughout the east to take on all comers in his class. Thye was developed by Mike Butler, boxing and wrestling instructor of Portland.

to break through him and Devlin went around to third. Harper stole second a moment later and then Tommy Murphy came through with the best hit of the day, a ponderous drive to center good for two runs.

Not until the eighth inning did Pere Marquette get a safe hit off Devlin's stuff. McMahon, first up, lifted to Reynolds. Doherty doubled into the right field crowd for two bases and his team's first safety. O'Brien cracked a ball pitched over Reynolds' head. Doherty scoring. Berry's single to center sent O'Brien around to third, but Berry was cut down trying to make second. This decision caused the protest and subsequent withdrawal of the Pere Marquette team from the field of battle.

It is understood that a return game will be played in Lowell on September 13. The score for seven full innings:

LOWELL K. OF C.										
O'Day, 2b	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 1b	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cawley, 3b	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Fope, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Fope, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Souza, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Devlin, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	3	2	11	1	1	1	1	1	1

PERE MARQUETTE

Flaherty, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gorman, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plansky, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kaup, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doherty, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Brien, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berry, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	0	0	21	9	4	4	4	4	4

Lowell K. of C. 0000120-3
Pere Marquette 0000000-0

Two-base hit—Murphy. Sacrifice hits—Gorman, McMahon, O'Day, Cawley, Plansky. Double plays—McMahon to McCarthy; O'Day (unassisted) to McMahon; O'Day to C. 1. Pere Marquette 2. First base on balls—O'Day 3, off Berry 3. First base on errors—Pere Marquette, 1. Lowell K. of C. 1. Hit by pitcher—By Devlin (McCarthy). Struck out—By Devlin 5, by Berry 3. Passed ball—O'Brien 1. Umpire, 15 m. Umpires—Hart and Cronin.

The Call'em

All the local men who saw Kloby flatten Eddie Shevlin at O'Sullivan park Saturday are as one in the opinion that no boxer in years has shown such recuperative powers as a constitution as the Lawrence mauler. He is a super-man with a will that knows no defeat and a power to pull himself above his own body pain and knock out a man who had him badly beaten. It will take a wonderful well-timed to beat him and although Paul Gorie has been cited as one of the men who is capable of doing it, the following conversation which took place after the scrap shows how Paul feels at the present time.

"What do you think of Kloby?" Paul was asked.

"He's a fighting bear cat," was the reply.

"You ought to be able to take him, don't you think so?"

"Well, Shevlin thought he could, too."

"You aren't afraid of him, are you?"

"No, I'll fight him if I am given a couple of weeks' notice, but I wouldn't have stepped into the ring with him today."

Boxer Versus Slogger

Mike O'Dowd made the fatal mistake of trying to box with Jack Britton at Neward Friday night and the result was a clean-cut win for the welter-weight champion. It was Britton's eighth win in a row and he won the third round when O'Dowd rushed his opponent and swept him to the ropes with a shower of rights and lefts to the head. In every other round Britton boxed circles around his slower-moving antagonist and kept his left hand constantly in O'Dowd's face.

O'Dowd all the way with the exception of a moment when he was in danger because Britton did not pack the punch to knock him out but he will outbox and harass him by the hour any time they meet.

Jimmy Gardner Has Real Job

Jimmy Gardner of Lowell will be the third man in the ring at the Fenway A.A. English when he takes on Johnny Wilson meet in the 12-round feature bout. The rival managers, Joe McCarthy and Marty Killilea, met yesterday and agreed every other round Lowell middleweight as referee. This will prevent any last-minute squabbling over an arbiter.

Only Four More, Babe!

The American league has more than a month to go and Babe Ruth needs three more home runs to equal Buck Freeman's world record of 25 circuit hits in a season and four to create a mark that may well stand for all time. Last Friday night Babe's mark stood at 18, but he cracked one over the right bleacher fence at Navin Park on Saturday for his 20th and by superlat

tive hitting swept two more out of the park yesterday, thereby running his string up to 22. He is a marvelous batter and easily the sensation of 1919. Ty Cobb, George Sisler et al notwithstanding.

Big League Help Not Enough

Pitcher Scott Maranville and Tony Boeckle of the Boston Braves spent the week-end in Vermont and yesterday attempted to pull the Rutland team safely through its first series game with Newport, but to no avail. Even with this trio of National league stars, Rutland bowed in submission, 2 to 1. Maranville made the only error of the game when he dropped a fly ball. Billie Page, former Lawrence manager, played second base for Newport and Henry Sullivan of Lowell caught for Rutland.

Picking a Man For Killbane

If Matt Hinkle can put the bout over, Matt Brock of Cleveland and Henry Valger will meet at League Park, Cleveland, on Labor Day. There's more behind the prospect than a mere meeting of gifted glove tossers as it will mark the beginning of a series of engagements between featherweights with the Provosts' stand of establishing a worthy challenger for the champion, Johnny Kilbane, who has gone on record as saying he will fight one more regular championship bout before quitting the ring for good. Brock has the power and capability to slip over a decisive punch on the slightest provocation and the same holds true of Valger. It should be a whizz of a bout if Hinkle puts it across.

\$500 FOR POLO LEAGUE CHAMPS

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 25.—The American Roller Polo league, at a meeting yesterday, with all clubs represented, voted to offer a prize of \$500 for the club finishing first in the season's play, \$200 for the team in second place and \$100 for the team playing third place. Playing rights were assigned as follows: Providence, Monday and Saturday; Worcester, Wednesday and Saturday; Lawrence, Monday and Saturday; Lowell, Tuesday and Friday; Salem, Monday and Thursday; Boston, Tuesday and Friday; Fall River, Wednesday and Friday; New Bedford, Tuesday and Friday.

LOWELL BAIL PLAYER SIGNED TO PLAY WITH CASTLETON.

V.T. TEAM

Henry Sullivan, the local boy, who looked so good in his brief stay with the Lowell team in the New England league this year, has gone to Castleton, Vt., where he will finish out the season with the team of that town. Mike Hayden, formerly Lowell catcher, is in Castleton and sent for Sullivan a day or two ago. Henry played for the B. & M. car shop team against the K. O. C. a week ago last Saturday and nicked Owen Devlin for five hits.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The T. R. & T. went to Graniteville Saturday and were defeated by the club representing that town by the score of 6 to 0.

WORCESTER CO. POSTAL MEN WANT RAISE

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—Postal employees of Worcester county, at a mass meeting yesterday adopted resolutions asking increases in salaries, and requesting their national officers "in the event of relief being denied us by act of congress, to take immediate referendum to determine the sentiment of the members for enforcing their demands." A committee was appointed to appear before the congressional

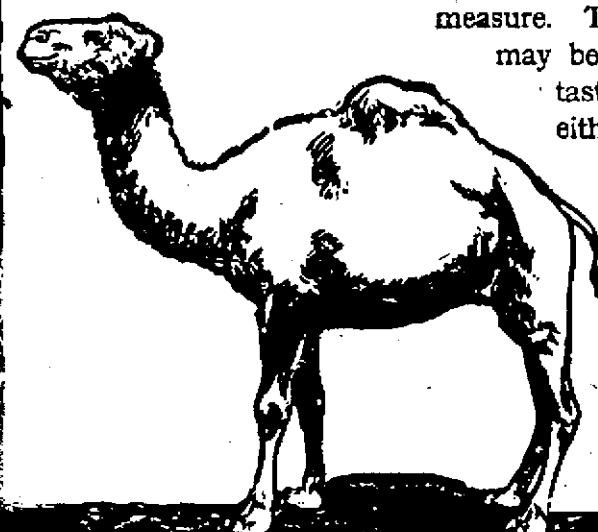


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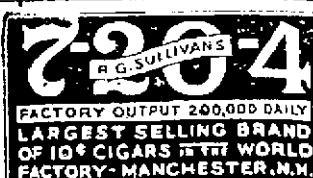
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"BLIME, WHERE'S THE FUN?"

LONDON.—"Where's the bally fun?" asks the flunkey, but look at the jolly faces of King George and Queen Mary of England as they watched the girls romping in Hyde Park. They had lots of fun with the children when they made a surprise visit to the festival in London's famous park.

wage committee in Boston on Sept. 11 and 12.

It was voted to ask for the following salaries for clerks and carriers: First grade, \$2900; second grade, \$2500; third grade, \$2400; fourth grade, \$2300. The resolutions called for time and a half for overtime, and 50 cents an hour for substitute clerks and carriers, with "proportionate increases" for postal laborers, rural free delivery carriers, railway mail men, janitors and supervisors.

visors. Congressmen Calvin D. Page and Samuel E. Winslow, and Postmaster James F. Healey addressed the meeting, and promised to do all in their power to obtain increases.

SMALL DOCKET IN POLICE COURT

Present on a statutory charge, Joseph Bolavert pleaded guilty and

Mary Vealleux not guilty before Judge Enright in police court this morning. Both cases were continued until Sept. 2.

A suspended sentence of five months in the house of correction was prescribed in the case of Joseph Segouin, drunkenness. Several other drunks were also placed on probation.

About 21,404,000 tons, or one-fourth the world's shipping now lie on the bottom of the ocean.

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KLOBY WINS BY KNOCKOUT

Drops Shevlin for Count in
Ninth and Wins N. E.
Welterweight Title

Remarkable "Come Back"
Converts Apparent Defeat
Into Glorious Victory

Young Kloby of Lawrence won the New England welterweight title by knocking out Eddie Shevlin of Roxbury in the ninth round of their twelve round bout at the Lawrence ball park Saturday afternoon before the largest crowd in New England ring history. It was a remarkable upturn victory for "D. champion, for seven rounds Shevlin's craft and ring generalship had given him an unquestionable lead and even in the vast multitude ever expected to see Kloby come through.

But one terrific smash, a right uppercut to Shevlin's jaw, delivered just after the ninth round opened, nullified the sailor's wonderful work in the early part of the fight and brought to Kloby a sensational and spectacular victory, one that will be recorded in the annals of boxing as a victory won by sheer bulldog courage, determined perseverance and brute strength.

While the bout terminated in the ninth, Kloby set the stage in the eighth, when he knocked Shevlin down by a slight margin. But the third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh were Shevlin's by a city block.

He had battered Kloby all over the ring in those five sessions. He had Kloby bleeding and looking out of one eye, and the Y. D. idol was a sorry sight. As he came to the center when the bell sounded for the eighth, he looked a beaten man, and about all the crowd, many of whom had placed their all on Kloby, were about convinced that at least the worm had turned. But Kloby had not despaired. On the contrary he had faith in his ability; he was determined to get over that famous blow that had enabled him to pull other bouts out of the fire, and he tore into Shevlin like a lion, uncocking a furious attack, that even his most loyal supporters never hoped to see. Shevlin apparently bewildered at the unexpected turn, dropped his guard, and like a flash of lightning, Kloby let go a tremendous blow to the stomach, which sent Shevlin back. Kloby immediately saw that his great blow was still with him, and seizing the opening, tore away from Shevlin and began delivering a shower of rights and lefts, all finding an objective. He refused to let Shevlin clinch, and selling the opening, tore away from Shevlin and began delivering a shower of rights and lefts, all finding an objective. He refused to let Shevlin clinch, and selling the opening, tore away from Shevlin and began delivering a shower of rights and lefts, all finding an objective.

All at the ringside could see that Shevlin had not been hurt, and those who up until the eighth had figured him as easy winner now realized he didn't have a chance. Kloby had assimilated all that Shevlin had, and while he was literally cut to ribbons, he came back and staged such a hurricane attack in that eighth session that even the Shevlin rosters agreed the Y. D. kind could not be denied.

With the tap of the gong for the ninth Kloby rushed over to Shevlin and measuring his man let go a terrific blow to Shevlin's jaw that resounded throughout the park and the Roxbury boy crumpled to the floor as Referee Cooper tolled off the final ten. A roar that shook the park proclaimed Kloby the new welterweight king of New England.

As Kloby turned toward his corner some rowdy in the crowd threw a tonic bottle that hit him behind the ear, in-



ROBERT BRIDGES

NEW POET LAUREATE

LONDON.—Great Britain has a new court poet in Robert Bridges. Although he has not produced many odes which is usually demanded of poets laureate, Bridges has written a large variety of memorable poems in honor of his country.

Reeling an ugly wound. Infuriated fans rushed into the ring and policemen rushed to the scene and with drawn clubs and revolvers waded to Shevlin's corner. The quick action of the officers undoubtedly prevented a serious riot.

The scenes attending the fight beggar description and can only be compared with those prevailing at a world's series. The ball park was a big mass of humanity, while the house tops and windows of the buildings surrounding the grounds, were black with people. Even the big trees outside the enclosure held their quota of fans willing to risk their lives to witness the big fight. It is estimated that at least 15,000 saw the battle, 13,000 inside the grounds and 2,000 on the outside looking in. Moving picture men and other photographers were on the scene.

For a time it looked as if the bout would not go on and many of those present who included representatives from cities and towns within a radius of 50 miles, sat or stood sweltering under the burning sun while the managers and principals argued for over half an hour on the referee question. Both Kloby and Shevlin, with their handlers, had entered the ring, but when Shevlin's manager refused to stand for Scotty McGee, Manager Bell announced that Shevlin wouldn't fight and he called Paul Doyle from the crowd and asked him to get ready to substitute. Finally Shevlin and his seconds left the ring amid the jeers of the crowd. The argument was resumed behind the scenes and after calling in the mayor of the city to arbitrate the controversy John Cooper, a Lawrence business man, was accepted as a compromise referee.

This action caused much dissatisfaction and considerable bad blood but as events materialized, the knockout eliminating the necessity of giving a decision, everything terminated satisfactorily.

Kloby was the favorite in the betting and again the Lawrence fans made a clean up. They had much cause to worry, however, and several times during the bout, when Shevlin was pulling up his lead the odds shifted. The Shevlin backers were happy until the eighth, when the Roxbury lad, over-confident and not content to continue his style, assayed the role mixing it and swapping punches with the king of hay-makers, and this action brought his downfall and disaster to his backers.

Many Lowell men were among those at the ringside and they agreed with all others that the bout was one of the greatest ever staged in this section of the country.

Garden crops worth \$13,500 were raised on New York's vacant lot gardens this year.

BASEBALL DEMENTIA PREFERRED TO PLAIN EVERYDAY INSANITY



Patients at Elgin insane hospital watching ball game between doctors and hospital team; Arnold Hauser, former star of St. Louis Cardinals, Ray Beard, catcher and John Reardon, pitcher.

BY FRED TERRYVILLE,
N.E.A. Sports Writer.

They've gone baseball crazy at the Elgin state hospital for the insane. But Superintendent Ralph Hinton says baseball dementia is preferable to being just plain crazy and the patients are being cured and improved steadily.

The hospital is an institution for the insane at the little city just west of

BLAME BEAN BALL. IN HAUSER'S CASE

Five years ago Arnold Hauser, then playing professional baseball, was beaned by a pitcher. From that time on his mind was affected. Three years ago he was placed in the hospital. He gradually grew worse but when baseball was started, the patients are never violent. They lose aggressiveness.

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IN RAIL COUNSEL

ATLANTA.—Underwood is leaving his home here to take up his duties as general counsel of the United States railroad administration. He was formerly assistant attorney general.

taxes by fair assessment on large incomes that are now not being properly assessed.

The speaker dwelt upon the various benefits in community development that would be derived from such a system.

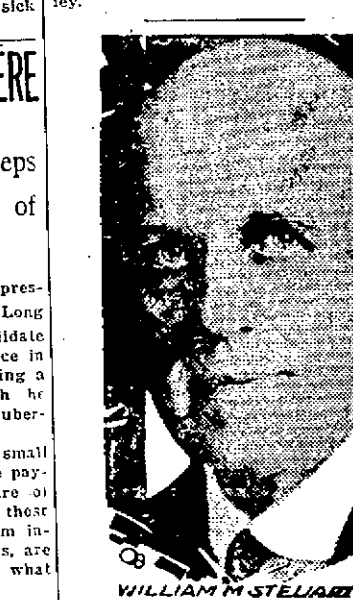
"The policy of the national income tax which was found to be so easy to collect and easy to pay should be carried into the state affairs. It would simplify the work for our tax payers, and once adopted would be approved by every fair-minded citizen.

"A graduated income tax to take care of any deficit such as there may be concerning a public service corporation, like the Boston Elevated railroad, would be paid largely by the individuals owning the railroads. They would see to it in a more careful manner that the railroads were properly managed, and that the stock was not improperly issued, whereas at the present time they put the burden on the car riders, the small business man, the owners of homes and the farmers who don't usually own railroads. Now the railroad managers have no incentive to give honest and efficient financial management. They would squeeze the water out of the stock and limit the fare out to five cents.

The taxes assessed to pay the soldiers' bonus is one of the most glaring acts of a republican state government. It forces members of the soldiers' family, by a \$5 poll tax, in many cases to pay the entire bonus coming to a member of their family. The same law allows foreign corporations and men of large wealth to escape entirely from any taxes to pay the soldiers' bonus, but requires the active corporation doing business in Massachusetts to pay a large part of the money required for the bonus. How much fairer and better it would be to have this paid by a graduated income tax?

"I shall advocate making up a budget for state expenses and public improvements, and show that the amount required can be so easily raised by the graduated income tax that the people of the commonwealth will wonder why it was never done before."

In conclusion, Mr. Long blamed the republicans for defeating the plan for the development of the Merrimack river, so necessary to the prosperity of the industries in the Merrimack valley.



WILLIAM M. STEUART

HIS CENSUS EXPERT
WASHINGTON, August.—William M. Steuart, who has assumed his duties as assistant director of the census, has been connected with each assistant census from and including that of 1850. Michigan is his home state.

The baking of white bread is a lost art in Poland. They have forgotten that this was once common in their country and call it "American bread." The agents of the American Jewish Relief committee write that Polish bread now consists of 10% wheat flour, 10% rye and 80% tree bark for filler.

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says Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital. Thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to any up-to-date drug store and get some Nicotol tablets; take them as directed and let the pernicious habit quickly vanish. Druggists refund the money if they fail. Be sure to read large and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in this paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it. In the meantime try Nicotol tablets; you will be surprised at the result. A. W. Dows and Routhier & Dows.—Adv.

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COTTON MILL FIREMEN

Interesting Meeting Held—
International Officer Here
Today

An interesting meeting of the cotton mill firemen, who have been out on strike for the past three weeks was held yesterday afternoon with President Thomas Quinn in the chair.

A report of the officers of the organization on the strike situation was given and routine business was transacted. It was announced that President Healey of the International body is expected in Lowell today and that an early settlement of the body is being looked for. At the close of the meeting the following statement regarding the strike was given out:

Back in October, 1918, the men asked for an increase in wages and the eight-hour day. This request was turned down by the Cotton Manufacturers association. At that time most of the men employed in the cotton mills, wanted to strike to enforce their demands, but the officers of the organization persuaded them to notify the labor bureau at Washington which was done and a conciliator was sent here to try to bring about a settlement. However, he was not suc-

cessful, the Cotton Manufacturers association refusing to grant the request of the firemen's organization. The conciliator advised the men not to strike as the mills were doing a lot of government work at that time, and he would refer the matter to the labor board if they promised not to strike. They promised and the matter was referred to the war labor board, the cotton manufacturers refusing to refer their side of the case.

After the armistice was signed a hearing was given by the war labor board at the court house, the manufacturers refusing to present their side of the case and saying the war labor board had no jurisdiction over them. As a result the local was given leave to withdraw. The matter has dragged along ever since, the manufacturers granting the eight-hour day to all the other employees of the mills except the firemen and their helpers who, they say, were always considered 12-hour men. International President Healey of the organization came to Lowell last July and held a conference with the Manufacturers association. Two days later they refused to grant the request, so there was nothing left for the men to enforce their demands for an eight-hour day but take strike action.

They went on strike and the state board of conciliation and arbitration was notified by the mayor according to law. The secretary of that board came to Lowell, conferred with the firemen's organization and he was given their side of the case. He also

visited one of the agents and the secretary of the Manufacturers association, concerning arbitration, and they said there was nothing to arbitrate so far as they were concerned. The men are out three weeks and are still firm and will remain out until their demands are granted.

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POLICE SEARCHING FOR SNATCH THIEF

The police are searching today for the snatch thief who robbed Miss Josephine Sullivan of a pocketbook containing \$25 while she was on her way home Saturday evening.

Miss Sullivan is employed as a maid at the home of C. I. Hood, 438 Andover street, and had nearly reached the house when a young man, who had been following her for several yards, seized her pocketbook and made his escape.

The motorman of a passing street car heard the girl's screams, and after the car had stopped a passenger went into the home of John H. Harrington, and phoned the police. They were unable to find any trace of the young woman's assailant, however.

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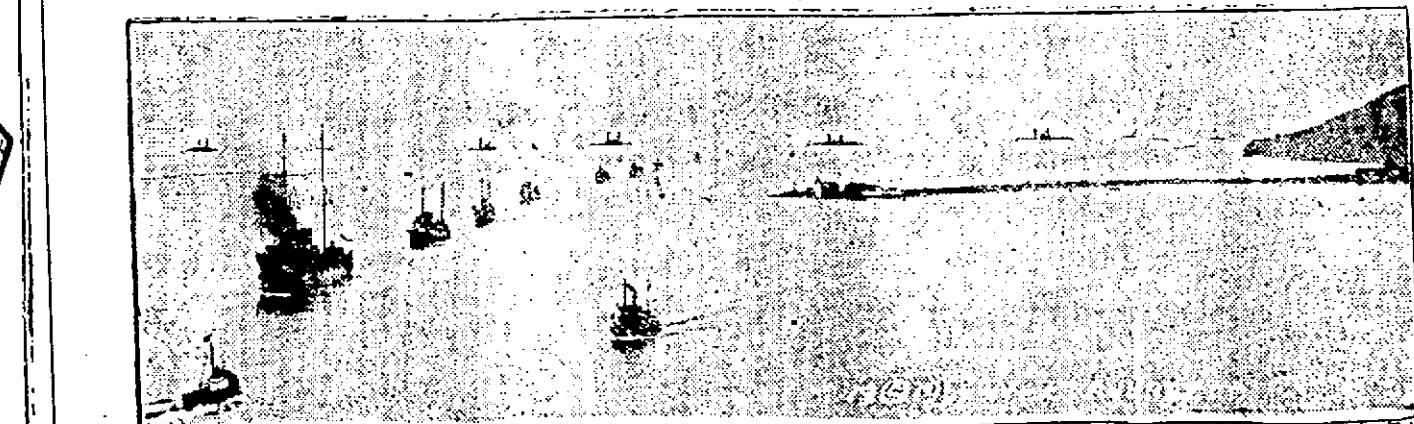
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PACIFIC FLEET ENTERING SAN DIEGO HARBOR
Showing the long line of destroyers, with the dreadnaughts of the Pacific fleet in the background, steaming past Point Loma to the anchorage in San Diego harbor, where a royal reception awaited the "gobs."

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THIS WEEK ADVERTISE CLOTHING

As usual, before a holiday, we urge Lowell merchants dealing in men's and women's clothing, to realize that the days before a holiday offer a wonderful opportunity to make a business apart. A holiday is a "dress up time." Many people believe that part of the business of a holiday is to visit friends and relatives and to put "the best foot forward" it's part of the scheme to replenish the wardrobe.

Every day this week should be a day for the dealers in clothing to have this in mind. Three things are necessary to make and turn over a profit for this week of extraordinary clothes buying. First that the seller must have the stock in good assortment, good values, good quality. Next, experience shows that display advertising is the appeal that draws attention of all readers to bargains offered. These two elements we have. The third is to use the right medium to put the other two things over, and in this city the right medium is

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UNFAIR TO GREECE

If, as alleged, the American delegates to the peace conference are in favor of handing over Thrace to Bulgaria, they are doing something for which there is no justification. It is alleged that this proposition is brought forward with a view to giving Bulgaria an outlet to the Aegean sea. That plan is in violation of President Wilson's fourteen points for the reason that Thrace is a Grecian province, whose population is almost seven-eighths Greek.

It is difficult to understand why there is such a disposition to sacrifice the rights and interests of Greece for the benefit of Bulgaria. The latter nation represents more nearly than any other, all that is left of Prussianism in Europe. Why can she not in the future, as in the past, use the Black sea in conducting her commerce? The Dardanelles will be opened to the world and will give Bulgaria a free passage to the Mediterranean. It will be a round-about way to be sure, but this is one of the results of the location of Bulgaria. For generations past the Black sea has been closed to commerce and even Russia had no outlet to the Mediterranean or to the Indian ocean, although she struggled hard against British interests to secure one.

It is certainly most unreasonable to presume that in the new order of things Bulgaria should exercise sovereignty over Thrace in order that she might have the advantage of a short route to the sea.

If Bulgaria had any just claim by custom or treaty to such an advantage there might be some excuse for allowing her the territory in question, but while the allies owe nothing to Bulgaria and much to Greece, why betray a friend to benefit an enemy. In releasing Thrace from Turkish sway, why should it not be transferred to the motherland in justice to her and to the people involved?

Greece has been generous enough to offer to construct a railroad through Thrace over which the Bulgarians could transport their products to the Aegean sea, but apparently even this does not satisfy the people who want to favor Bulgaria. In the last census of the population of Thrace as taken by the Turkish authorities, it appears that the population was in the proportion of seven Greeks to one Bulgarian and on this basis representatives were elected to the Turkish parliament. Thus both Turks and Bulgarians admitted the predominance of the Greek race in that province.

It appears that the delegates of France, Great Britain and Japan favored giving Thrace to Greece and that the American delegates alone stood out in opposition and favoring the contention of Bulgaria. To carry out such a proposition would violate the principle of self-determination laid down by President Wilson and would turn over the Greek population of Thrace to a government that in many respects will be no better than that of the Turks which through long centuries has held the Thracians under a severe despotism despite their struggles for national unity.

The people of the United States want an explanation of this action on the part of their delegates to the peace conference and it is one of the things which President Wilson should explain in connection with the League of Nations. Unless the principle of self-determination on ethnological lines be granted to small nations, there is no ground for claiming that the conference at Paris is endeavoring to apply the principles of right or justice to the problems coming before them. The

American delegates should be the last to favor any scheme by which any province or people would be severed from the mother country to which they rightfully belong.

BOSTON POLICE UNION

Whether the police of Boston have the right under the terms of their employment to join a labor union will probably be passed upon by the courts before final action be taken upon their case.

Inasmuch as in entering the service they took oath to abide by the rules of the department, it is difficult to see how they can justify their course in deciding to form a union to be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

The threat of a strike of 80,000 members of the federation if the police were denied the "right" to join a labor organization was wholly unjust and calculated to injure the cause of labor everywhere.

The A. F. of L. is regarded as a sane and conservative body of intelligent workmen. If it appears that men bound under oath to perform certain duties try to withdraw from that just agreement, why should any labor organization rush in to defend their course? Much less should any state senator or any candidate for office hasten into the public prints to defend them.

In all such matters the sacredness of legal and duly recorded contracts must be defended. The courts of justice will never countenance the violation of any such contract on any pretext whatsoever. The action to be taken in the Boston case will probably rule the attitude of other police departments throughout the state, relative to the alleged right of policemen to organize and join the A. F. of L.

The mere affiliation of a police union with the federation, would imply that when the police make a demand for higher wages or better conditions, they will stand ready to enforce it by a strike, backed if necessary by sympathetic strikes. No city could take such risks of being left without protection perhaps in emergencies that would make the situation very serious. From Boston the demand for \$5 per day has spread and now every police department in the state is asking for that amount. The Lowell police had recently received an increase after considerable agitation and we do not expect that the city is ready to grant the full \$5 per day and one day off in eight. At present the pay per diem is \$4.60 and one day off in fifteen. The demand for one day off in eight is quite reasonable, as police officers should have as near as possible to one day a week to spend with their families. It should be specifically provided, if in any case it is not so at present, that neither policemen nor firemen shall have the right to strike. They should have the right of collective bargaining within the department and special provision should be made under the rules for the equitable settlement of all demands or claims made by the departments. Until each city in the commonwealth makes this provision for fair treatment of police and firemen, they need not express surprise if either class of employees takes matters into their own hands.

It is time every municipality had a legal provision under which all demands by police and firemen could be settled without resort either to the courts or sympathetic labor unions. This arrangement is imperatively demanded in order that no city of the state may be left at the mercy of the worst criminals by the problems coming before them. The declaration of a police strike,

THE GREATEST NEED

(By the N. E. A.)

At the front of world consciousness is one question:

"Will capital and labor work together?"

All governments, all political parties are concerned with this fundamental problem.

There are agitators and ultra-radicals on both sides, urging relentless class war.

Conditions in the United States are more promising than in any other country, and this nation can lead the way to enduring peace if clear thinking prevails over passion; if calm action checks reckless impulse.

President Wilson has called an international labor conference, to be held in Washington, D. C.

The industrial leaders of the world will assemble in Atlantic City, Sept. 29.

The Kelly-Pointdexter resolution now before congress calls for a joint conference between labor and capital along the lines recently suggested by Basil M. Manly. Manly has since declared that in view of high prices and agitation over profiteering, representatives of farmers and consumers should also be present.

Either something will be done—Or something will happen.

We can use common sense, or let matters take their course, everyone scrambling to take or to hold all he can, and leaving the claims of humanity to luck.

The hour is at hand for the peace conference in which the warring elements of our industrial system must meet "for the greatest good of the greatest number."

The world has had enough of conflict—Now for co-operation.

INFLATION OF H. C. L.

As time goes on the present state of currency inflation will rectify itself. Already there is evidence of a tendency in this direction shown by the continued fall in foreign exchange to rates unprecedented. Already the pound sterling is worth but \$4.12½ in American money, as against a par value of \$4.86. Thus it becomes more and more unprofitable to sell goods for export to England, while it is proportionally more and more profitable for the British to export goods to this country.

Another point which indicates the extent of the inflation is, that the national bank deposits, at the present time are reported to be sixteen billion dollars, whereas three years ago their deposits were only nine billion dollars. This state of affairs explains the very high prices, compared with those of a few years ago. It cannot, therefore, be said that the high cost of living is entirely due to profiteering or speculation by any number of combinations such as the packers at Chicago. It is true that in some special cases the prices are pushed up to a degree which is entirely unjustified, but the government is now out to punish such offenders and in all probability this imposition upon the public will soon be reduced to a minimum.

It is reported that former Premier Caillaux of France is to be brought to trial on the charge of treason. His tools, Duval and Bolo Pasha were tried, found guilty and shot, but why Caillaux should have been allowed such extended freedom is not well understood. Some go so far as to say that certain high officials in France are afraid of being drawn into the scandal as it is alleged that at the time of Caillaux's offense, a number of other prominent officials in Paris were willing and even encouraging movements by which Germany would be aided in bringing about the defeat of France. For this reason the case of Caillaux will be watched with interest.

Speaker Gillett of the national house must have faith in the prayers of the house chaplain inasmuch as he advised him not to pray for the League of Nations.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN



"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

HOW WEAK WOMEN ARE MADE STRONG

Mrs. Westmoreland Tells in the Following Letter.

Harrison, N. Y.—"When my first child was born I did not know about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and had a very hard time. I read in the newspaper about the Vegetable Compound and when my second child came I took it and was well during the whole time, and childbirth was a hundred times easier. Ever since then I have used it.

For any weakness and would not be without it for the world. I do all my work and am strong and healthy. I am nursing my baby, and I still take the Vegetable Compound as it keeps a woman in good health. You may publish my testimonial for the good of other women if you choose to do so."—Mrs. C. WESTMORELAND, Harrison, N. Y.

Women who suffer from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, aliteration, backache, headaches and nervousness should lose no time in giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial, and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

The Lowell board of trade has received several hundred copies of a pamphlet issued by the Massachusetts chamber of commerce purporting to be "an analysis and a criticism" of the Plumb plan for railroad control. Every member of the board will receive a copy in a few days and the pamphlet comes out very strongly in opposition to the proposed plan. It contends that such a procedure as outlined in the plan would take the railroads from the control of the public and put them entirely in the control of the employees. The career of the railroads from the time they were taken over by the government, up to the present is reviewed in detail and a table of recent wage demands made by various classes of railroad employees is also included. The pamphlet is of real timely interest in that it gives detailed information about the railroad situation, regardless of the merits or demerits of the issues involved. I understand that there are a few extra copies which the secretary of the board of trade will be glad to furnish those interested.

Deputy Collector Foley of the Lowell revenue collector's office tells me that his assistants are having a busy time these days trying to round up the people in this city and elsewhere who continue to be negligent in their payment of the special federal taxes due on ice cream soda, patent medicines, and all the various commodities which are now in the so-called "luxury" class. Many grocery stores, Mr. Foley believes, sell patent medicines daily which contain narcotics and pay no tax, in some cases because they do not know the law which requires the federal tax and in others because they do not know that the medicines contain narcotics. Physicians and druggists, says Mr. Foley, show very few delinquents in paying the narcotics tax, but many small stores who handle patent medicines as a side line have made little effort to clear themselves on the federal books. Most patent medicines, especially soothing syrups used for children, are very rich in narcotics, Mr. Foley declared.

It is interesting in these days of seemingly perpetual ovation and celebration for the Lowell men who served in the various branches of the national service during the world war, when each section of the city is vying with the others to give its own men the best possible sort of a welcome home, to look back and see what the city did after the Civil war for her men who responded to Lincoln's call. I had occasion to use Charles Cowley's "History of Lowell" recently and the following paragraphs attest the dedication of the Ladd and Whitney monument in 1865 and the big parade which accompanied it are of interest at the present time:

"On the 17th of June, 1865, the Ladd and Whitney monument was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. The lines inscribed upon this monument: 'The Samson Agonistes of Milton, were selected by the lamented Governor Andrew, who also delivered the dedicatory oration. His closing sentences expressed, in eloquent terms, the glowing hope that this shaft might stand for a thousand generations.

"The procession previous to the dedication, though indifferently managed was the most magnificent ever seen in Lowell. It presented an imposing array of national and state officials, the staffs of the governors of Massachusetts and Maryland, officers and men who had served in the army and navy, members of the Lowell, Boston, Worcester and Lawrence city governments, selectmen of the towns, encampments of the Knights Templars, lodges of the Free Masons, the Odd Fellows, the American Protestant association, bodies of infantry and cavalry, bands of music, firemen, Fenians and miscellaneous organizations."

How long does it take to walk along Central street from that postoffice to Merrimack square on a Saturday night? This might prove an interesting test for those who have nothing else to do. This is not a "catch." If it rains of course there will be few people out and the time will vary accordingly. But on a warm night when the north side of Central street is well crowded, just try it. It took the Man About Town just five minutes to walk the distance last Saturday night without pushing or crowding anyone. Can you do it in less?

SEEN AND HEARD

Kloby's victory adds another page to Y. D. history.

Little Johnny in anticipation of his first day at school is now rehearsing the familiar greeting, "Good morning, teacher."

According to the Department of agriculture, three hundred thousand motor tractors will be manufactured this year.

In Bisbee, Ariz., which is built on hillsides, "Keep Off the Roof" signs are as common as our familiar "Keep Off the Grass."

The Dominion of Canada is to loan \$25,000,000 at 5 per cent to promote the erection of small houses, and enable working men and returned soldiers to buy them at cost.

It is reported that it will require three million dollars annually to fight for world prohibition, and when they get it what are they going to do with it, says an erstwhile wine clerk.

While it may be only a coincidence a young man in the Highlands, who became a father the other day, has just been notified that beginning next month his rent will be increased three dollars per month.

A Good Suggestion
A man who has occasion to ride on the Reading car quite frequently says that he has seen many big railroad ties being burned near the Wilmington-Reading line, and advances the argument that a better way to dispose of these would be to invite the people of the neighborhood to take them for firewood. This would be one way to put a dent in the high cost of living.

The Corrupted Clock
(Copyright, 1919, N.E.A.)
Some one has made the clock go wrong. Not in its time, but in its song.

At twelve at night!
Its face is bright
And the sound of its stroke is a soft delight!

"Tick! tock!"
Oh, what a shock!
Flock of long hours that are left in the clock!

Time is unending,
Life is for spending;
What though I strike,
Do as you like,
Tick! tock!
Oh, what a shock!

Do what you will, but don't look at the clock!
Oh, kindly clock! had you a robe, I'd surely kiss its hem;
Let us be friends forever, clock; are you even at six a.m.?

But oh! at morning when I yawn
And much desire to slumber on,
Its white face stares,
Its eye-hole glares
And its lean hands point me down the stairs!

"Tick! tock!"
Knock! knock!
Oh, but such laziness gives me a shock!
Time is for working;
Why are you shirking?
Now, as I strike,
Get up and bide!
Tick! tock!

Oh, what a shock!
Look at me! Look at me! Look at the clock!
Oh, cursed clock! such two-faced talk
I must, and do condemn;
You are so suave at twelve at night,
So harsh at six a.m.

— EDWARD VANCE COOK.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending Aug. 23, 1919.

- 15 Mary Nowak, 8 m. enteritis.
16 Rita Grady, 1 m. enteritis.
17 Edward Wilson, 3 m. burns.
18 Elias Petropoulos, 1, tub. meningitis.
19 Dionisios Dramatopoulos, 6 m. gastro-enteritis.
20 Joseph L. T. Matto, 4 m. enteritis.
21 Mary T. Kelley, 4 m. enteritis.
22 Mary McNamee, 61, cer. hemorrhage.
23 Edward L. Gentile, 6 m. enterocolitis.
24 Mary C. P. Sousa, 4 m. gastro-enteritis.
25 Elmer Chalk, 60, chr. int. nephritis.
26 Henry J. Mahoney, 31, chr. valv. heart disease.
27 Henry Ferron, 46, fracture of base of skull.
28 Nellie Scully, 21, cardio-renal.
29 Lucy A. Janyrh, 34, senility.
30 Mary Howard, 75, arterio-sclerosis.
31 Louis Frayer, 16, pyelitis.
32 Wanda Skrzymlarz, 25, ac. pulm. tuberculosis.
33 John J. David, 43, cancer.
34 Margaret M. Farrell, 27, tub. peritonitis.
35 Timothy O'Neil, 62, senility.
36 Harriet Armstrong, 1, cap. bronchitis.
37 Mary Davis, 57, prob. angina pectoris.
38 John Proctor, 63, arterio-sclerosis.
39 Alfred W. Goyette, 2 m. congenital debility.
40 Hannah Wood, 77, valv. heart disease.
41 Annie Swift, 56, erysipelas.
42 Christina Christopoulos, 3 m. gastro-enteritis.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending August 23, 1919: Population, 107,378; total deaths, 16; deaths under five, 16; deaths under one, 12; infectious diseases, 5; acute lung diseases, 1; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 4.

Death rate for the week ending August 23, 1919, 17.33 against 19.71 and 15.11 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet fever, 1; typhoid fever, 3; measles, 1; infantile paralysis, 1; tuberculosis, 9; influenza, 1. BOARD OF HEALTH.



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"BUNNY BEEF" TO

SWAT H. C. L.

What with the coming of reindeer meat from Alaska and the juicy flesh of these bouncing New Zealand jack-rabbits, now being bred extensively in the United States, pretty Clara Le

Moyné opines that the packers will soon be sitting on the street corners with tin cups in their hands. The film star, incidentally, was lifting about half her own weight when the above photograph was taken. "Despite prohibition," she whispered in Bunny's ear. "I'll wager you will be stewed within the next 48 hours."

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GREEK CLAIMS IN THRACE

Local Delegates to Big Washington Convention Submit Optimistic Report

Most optimistic is the report of Dr. George A. Demopoulos and Capt. Winfred C. MacBrayne, delegates sent by the local Greek community to the convention which was held in Washington last week to bring to the personal attention of President Wilson the justice of the Greek claims in Thrace and Asia Minor. Messrs. Demopoulos and MacBrayne have just returned and have reported the details of their mission to Christos Ziobos, president of the Greek community.

As chairman and secretary, respectively, of the convention's organization committee, Dr. Demopoulos and Capt. MacBrayne had opportunity to witness the convention's work from the very beginning and they bring back assurances from senators and representatives that Greece's claims would be upheld by them. Senator Lodge also promised them, they report, that the foreign relations committee would give a hearing to a committee chosen from the convention.

The entire matter is a product of a dispute which has arisen as to whether Greece or Bulgaria should be awarded that portion of Thrace which includes Adrianople. It is maintained that the present population of Thrace is overwhelmingly Greek. Allied representatives at the peace conference are said to be in favor of giving Thrace, with the exception of Constantinople, to Greece, but the American delegates have recently opposed the proposition because of the belief that Bulgaria needs an outlet to the Aegean. In order to persuade the American delegation to the contrary, the convention in Washington was held.

Following are a few of the interesting excerpts from the report of the local delegates:

"There were approximately 200 delegates attending the convention, representing 75 Greek communities and societies, and also representing 500,000 Americans of Greek descent throughout the country.

"Four delegates had the honor of visiting Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, Senator Hiram Johnson of California, Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia and Senator George Moses of New Hampshire. Several congressmen were also visited at their offices, private interviews having been arranged in advance.

"It is with great pleasure that we report the important fact that no senator or representative was found who favored giving any portion of Thrace to Bulgaria. This not only applies to our own experiences with those public officials, but all the other sub-committees which performed similar functions made the same report. It was impressed upon us that all the real leaders in Washington, republican as well as democratic, were with the cause of Greece. The activity of certain American missionaries in the Balkans was known to several of these statesmen.

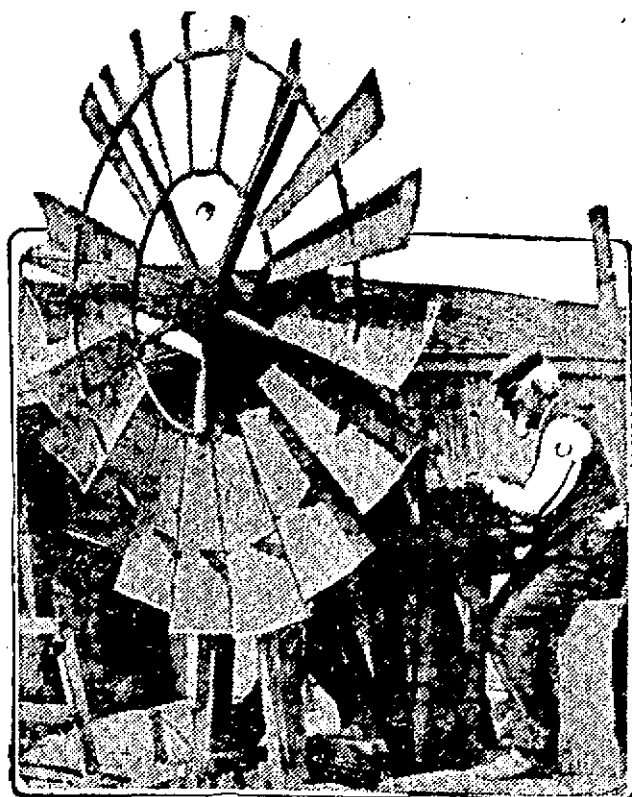
"A dinner was given to Senator Walsh of Massachusetts, who was later escorted into the convention by Dr. Demopoulos and Mr. Moustakis, who were appointed a committee for that purpose. Senator Walsh made the statement in his address that if the president kept his written word to the American people he would decide the Thracian question along its racial lines of demarcation, and this would mean that Greece, the mother country, would again be united with her children. The senator said also that his voice and his vote in the senate would be for justice to Greece. He was given an ovation by the convention, and copies of his address were given to all the newspaper representatives in Washington.

"Four delegates were privileged to learn from Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, that he would arrange to have a committee heard in the near future by the foreign relations committee, and it is quite likely that a special committee of three, composed of Messrs. Moustakis and Cassavatis, with Prof. Bolling, who remained in Washington for that purpose, will go before that committee the coming week. We have arranged to get a report upon that matter later."

The report then goes on to state that a fund was started at the convention to establish a permanent national body with headquarters in Washington to continue the fight. Each of the delegates subscribed and it was decided to send telegrams to local communities so that the latter may have an opportunity to subscribe. It was also the sentiment of the convention that immediate action must be taken to combat the propaganda work of the Bulgarian interests who are sending reading matter to the representatives at Washington.

LOWELL BOY PROMOTED

Ensign Walter C. Wilson, of 34 Thirteenth street, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant, junior grade, in the navy, and also appointed assistant naval constructor in the aviation section. He was one of the seven naval aviators selected by the government during the war to take a special course in airplane designing, and after completing his studies was transferred to the navy department at Washington, where he has been since connected with airplane constructing.



AT 83, RIGS WINDMILL TO SAW WOOD

Louis J. Brotton, California octogenarian, firmly believes in that old adage about the "ill wind, etc." Incapacitated by age from plying his trades as stationary engineer, Brotton has

rigged himself an 8-foot windmill on and cula brewwood whenever the mud flats of San Francisco bay breezes blow. In this way he makes a comfortable living, Brotton, like Noah, lives in an ark and has no patience with modern flub-dubs. The only "jazz" music he can tolerate is the moan of the zephyr through the blades of his windmill.

from total destruction, only the left lower wing was destroyed. It is hoped another will be obtained so that the flight can be made today as scheduled.

Lieut. George H. Watkins, of Cambridge, is in charge of the machine which is a training plane used by the government. He made the flight from Saugus, Mass., to Derry between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday.

ANNUAL REUNION

101st Engineer Train Members Hold Outing

The second annual reunion of Alberton W. Vinal camp, Veterans of 101st Engineers' Train, 26th Division, was held at Nantasket beach yesterday, and 50 members of the organization, whose first reunion took place one year ago in a rest camp in France, spent a most enjoyable day, despite the storm which came late in the afternoon.

Following a shore dinner at the Nantasket hotel, a business meeting was held at which the following officers were elected: President, William Kilbridge; treasurer, Howard Akorley; secretary, Patrick Brown. The committee appointed to make arrangements for next year's reunion consisted of Dr. R. R. Waller, Walter Phillips and Alexander Williams of Wakefield.

The committee in charge of yesterday's affair was: Joan Hurd, Walter Phillips and Alexander Williams.

LIVE NEWS OF NEW ENGLAND CITIES

DIVERS CANNOT GET WOBURN BOY'S BODY

WOBURN, Aug. 25.—Three divers from the U.S.S. Utah, searching Horn Pond, Woburn, for the body of Chief Electrician George C. McNeil, Jr., of the U.S.S. Ozark, drowned Thursday afternoon, worked throughout the storm yesterday afternoon. Thus far the quest has been unsuccessful. McNeil was a resident of Woburn.

SALISBURY BEACH SCARED BY STORM

SALISBURY BEACH, Aug. 25.—Seventeen windows in one house were blown in during the terrific wind, rain and lightning storm which swept across here yesterday afternoon and drenched a record-breaking crowd of visitors.

Windows in scores of houses and cottages were blown in, several chimneys were blown down and a number of trees near the beach were torn up by the roots.

Considerable confusion was caused when one chimney came toppling down on K street. Several bricks narrowly missed striking passers-by.

NEWPORT, N. H., CHILD KILLED BY SPEEDSTER

NEWPORT, N. H., Aug. 25.—Iola Howe, the 5-year-old daughter of William Howe of Mill Village, was run over and killed here yesterday by an automobile owned by William A. Beane, a New York dentist, and driven by his chauffeur, Joseph Wiklof of Brooklyn. The child, who was standing beside another automobile with its father, ran in front of the speeding machine and received a broken hip and internal injuries.

DEATH MAY WIN IN THIS LAWRENCE FIGHT

LAWRENCE, Aug. 25.—A quarrel over a card game in which a bottle of whiskey was the stake led to a gun duel on Common street early last evening and as a result of this Michael Flato, 50, of 18 Bennett street, will probably die, while Raymond Merossila, his confessed assailant is held on the charge of assault to murder.

Four men were playing cards in a store at 10 Common street for the prize bottle. A dispute arose between Flato and Merossila and the two went into the street to settle it. Merossila drew a revolver and fired five shots, all of which took effect.

MAINE WANTS 9 INCH LAW FOR LOBSTERS

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 25.—Petitions to initiate a 9-inch lobster law for Maine to go to the legislature at the special session which will probably be called in October are still in circulation. About 7000 names have been secured. The campaign will be speeded up to secure the balance in season to file so that the legislature may endorse the plan.

OLD DERRY STARTS 3 DAY CELEBRATION

DERRY, N. H., Aug. 25.—The 200th anniversary of the settlement of Derry and Londonderry was opened yesterday with church exercises. Community song service was held in the town hall at 5 yesterday afternoon. The meeting was opened by Rev. Robert H. Haskins of Reading, Mass., and the benediction was by Rev. David Jack of Swampscott, Mass.

The flying machine that was to give an exhibition here today on the town's 200th anniversary celebration was struck by lightning at 6 o'clock last night during a heavy electrical shower. It was anchored in Hood's Field. The bolt struck a tall pine tree and ran along on the ground several rods to the machine. Quick work by the fire department saved the machine.

RECEPTION TO SO. END WAR HEROES

South End business men and residents made plans for a big welcome home reception to the service men of that section of the city at an enthusiastic meeting held yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Palmer Glee club in Central street. There were more than 250 present. Unusually elaborate features were planned and, if carried out, will make the affair the biggest of its kind yet held in Lowell or vicinity.

John F. Roane, Jr., presided at the meeting and James O'Dea was chosen secretary. The speakers included Representative Thomas J. Corliss, John J. Gilbride, Daniel Foley, John McQuade and others. Messrs. Roane, Foley and O'Grady were appointed a publicity committee to keep the affair before the public and to secure the co-operation of the various organizations in the South End section.

It is planned to stage the celebration on the South common and the program will include boxing bouts, baseball games, track events, musical and cabaret features, an airplane exhibition and, last but not least, a big parade. The next meeting will be Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Palmer club rooms and delegations from all organizations in that section of the city as well as all others interested are asked to be present.

MONUMENT TO CENTRALVILLE HEROES

The men of Centralville who saw service in the world war will be honored by a monument in Varnum park at Bridge and First streets, if the plans of the committee in charge of the recent big celebration held in the over-river section are carried out. The committee reports that there is still a sum of money left from the funds raised for the welcome home affair and they intend to devote this to a monument for the soldiers and sailors of that section of the city. William H. Noonan, Robert Hart, James McNamara and Thomas Turley are the members of the committee and they believe that the amount of money they have on hand will be sufficient for the monument.

LOWELL GIRLS AT CASPI

The following Lowell high school girls are representing the Y. W. C. A. High School Student club at Camp Makonikee on Martha Vineyard Island this week: Misses Dorothy Brisset, Dorothy Fleming and Althea McDougall. The party is being chaperoned by Miss Ethel Everett. It is expected that representatives from clubs from New York and surrounding cities will also be present. The affair will be conducted along social and educational lines.

VT. PRINTER MAKES \$60,000 WITH HIS SONG

RUTLAND, Vt., Aug. 25.—The very common expression, "Sold for a song," generally implies that songs are cheap commodities, but a former Rutland linotype machinist has written one to cost, and according to the publishers is expected to exceed the \$60,000 copy mark soon.

The song is "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles," and its originator is John W. Kallotte, better known in this city as "Jack" who not many months ago was working 10 hours per day repairing machines that set type in a local newspaper office.

After leaving Rutland the lyricist went to New Rochelle, N. Y., to work at his trade, and did manual labor days and began to work on moving picture scenarios at night, and after bombarding the managers for over

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STOCK MARKET LATEST

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Ralls were the outstanding features of today's stock market, minor as well as investment transactions gaining 1 to 4 points. Sales approximated 125,000 shares.

Stocks were irregular to heavy at the outset of today's trading, last week's decline of actual prices and further industrial disturbances prompting further moderate liquidation. Steels, equipments and tobacco fell three points and more, while General Motors was partly balanced by gains extending from fractions to one point in oils and specialties. Shipings were variable, marine preferred ending one point while American International lost two points. Nominal changes ruled among rails.

Pressure of the same character as that which forced prices lower last week was encountered in the first hour. Selling centered in motors, oils and shipings at extreme reactions of 2 to 5 points. U. S. Steel lost 1 1/2 and related shares 1 1/2 to 2. Tobaccos fell 2 to 3, metals 1 1/2 to 2, and equipments, leathers and food shares 1 to 1 1/2. Falls and motor led the substantially better tendencies shown at mid-day. Unusual interest was evidenced in rates for call money, which opened at 6 per cent. The noon rally ended General Motors full point over its 4 1/2 point reaction of the first hour. Keystone Tire recovering five points. Gain among rails was moderate, steel preferred issues as Texas & Pacific and Missouri Pacific, gaining 1 to 3 points with investment shares.

Trading slackened later, with moderate reactions from bid prices. The closing was firm.

Liberty Bonds Closing
NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Liberty bonds closing: 3 1/2's 99.90; 4 1/2's 101.30; 5 1/2's 102.75; first 4 1/2's 94.22; second 4 1/2's 92.58; third 4 1/2's 93.36; fourth 4 1/2's 93.14. Victory 3 1/2's 99.68; Victory 4 1/2's 98.64.

Cotton Market
NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Cotton futures opened steady. Oct. 31.70; Dec. 31.85; Jan. 31.75; March 31.85; May 31.85.

Cotton Futures Closed Steady
Oct. 31.65; Dec. 31.85; Jan. 31.75; March 31.85; May 31.85. Spot cotton quiet, middling 32.15.

Money Market
Call money easy; high 5, offered at 6; last loan 5, bank acceptances 6.

New York Clearings
NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Exchanges: \$466,172,036; balances \$73,181,700.

NEW YORK MARKET

High	Low	Close
Alb. Chal	38 1/2	37 1/2
Am. Beet Sug.	51	50 1/2
Am. Can.	51	50 1/2
Am. Car. & F.	125 1/2	125 1/2
Am. Col. Oil	54 1/2	54 1/2
Am. H. & L.	30 1/2	30 1/2
Am. Loco	85 1/2	85 1/2
Am. Smelt	75 1/2	74 1/2
Am. Sug.	128 1/2	127 1/2
Am. T. & O.	110 1/2	110 1/2
Am. Wool	110	107 1/2
Anacosta	67 1/2	65 1/2
Atch.	92 1/2	88 1/2
B. & O.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Cal. Pac.	157 1/2	157 1/2
Cent. Lea.	96	90 1/2
Ches. & O.	58 1/2	56 1/2
C. & G. W.	33 1/2	33 1/2
Gen. Elec.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Ill. C. & P.	25 1/2	24 1/2
Chile	22 1/2	22 1/2
Col. Fuel	11	11
Con. Gas	95 1/2	95 1/2
Corn Prod.	108 1/2	108 1/2
Cru. Steel	139 1/2	138 1/2
Cuba Cane	71 1/2	71 1/2
Gen. & R. G. M.	110 1/2	110 1/2
Ind. Sec.	72 1/2	72 1/2
Elk. Horn	36	36
Erie	15 1/2	15 1/2
Gen. Motors	228	228
Gen. Nat. Bk.	85 1/2	84 1/2
Gen. N. Ore.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Int. Mer. Com.	62 1/2	62 1/2
Int. Mer. Mar.	55 1/2	54 1/2
Int. Paper	55 1/2	54 1/2
Kennecott	36 1/2	36 1/2
K. City S.	19 1/2	19 1/2
K. & N. O.	19 1/2	19 1/2
do pf.	19 1/2	19 1/2
Lehigh Val.	50	49 1/2
Maxwell	45	45
do 1st pf.	45	45
do 2nd	36	36
Mex. Pet.	174	170 1/2
Blvd.	49 1/2	48 1/2
Gen. Elec.	110 1/2	108 1/2
N. Y. Air B.	111 1/2	110 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	74	73 1/2
N. Y. & N. H.	32	32 1/2
Nor. West.	104 1/2	104 1/2
No. Pac.	86 1/2	86 1/2
O. G.	51	50 1/2
Pac. Mail	39 1/2	39 1/2
Pan. Am.	110 1/2	108 1/2
P. & N. E.	42 1/2	42 1/2
P. & O.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Pitts. Coal	62 1/2	62 1/2
P. W.	32 1/2	32 1/2
P. & S. Steel	118 1/2	118 1/2
R. & S.	30 1/2	30 1/2
Reading	72 1/2	72 1/2
Reo. & S.	104 1/2	104 1/2
do pf.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Royal D.	90	88 1/2
S. Paul	43 1/2	43 1/2
Sho.	25 1/2	25 1/2
So. Pac.	95 1/2	95 1/2
So. Ry.	26 1/2	26 1/2
Stude.	105 1/2	102 1/2
U. S. I.	121	120 1/2
U. S. Rub.	150 1/2	148 1/2
U. S. P. F.	112 1/2	112 1/2
U. S. Steel	191 1/2	190 1/2
do pf.	191 1/2	191 1/2
Utah Con.	32 1/2	32 1/2
U. Chem.	102 1/2	102 1/2
Wab.	16 1/2	16 1/2
Willis	32 1/2	32 1/2
Westhouse	52 1/2	52 1/2
Wes. Un.	57 1/2	57 1/2

BOSTON MARKET

High	Low	Close
A. A. Chem.	1 1/2	1 1/2
A. Gold	1 1/2	1 1/2
Am. Pneu.	1 1/2	1 1/2
Am. T. & T.	102 1/2	101 1/2
Wool	110 1/2	108 1/2
Amer. Zinc	24	23 1/2
Aradrian	1	1
Ariz. Com.	15 1/2	15 1/2
Ariz. El.	15 1/2	15 1/2
Bos. & M.	22 1/2	22 1/2
Butte & P.	28 1/2	27 1/2
Cal. & Ariz.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Cal. & Hec.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Centen.	16 1/2	16 1/2
Cent. Steel	8 1/2	8 1/2
China	43 1/2	43 1/2
Gen. Elec.	52 1/2	52 1/2
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Gen. P.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. S.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. T.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. U.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. V.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. W.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. X.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. Y.	110 1/2	108 1/2
Gen. Z.	110 1/2	108 1/2

DISCUSS BOOZE

American Druggists' Convention Meets in N. Y.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The American Pharmaceutical association met here today in its 67th annual convention. The question of dispensing liquor under prohibition, will make the six day session one of the most important ever held by the organization. Five hundred delegates from all parts of the country are in attendance.

The Remington Honor medal, given annually to the member who makes the most notable contribution toward the advancement of pharmacy in the United States will be awarded tonight to Prof. James H. Beal, dean of the College of Pharmacy of Illinois.

ARCHDUKE JOSEPH QUIT

PARIS, Aug. 25.—The resignation of the Hungarian government of Archduke Joseph, previously reported in press advices, was announced in messages received by the supreme council today. The messages indicated that the resignation occurred at 8 o'clock Saturday night and that the process of forming a new cabinet had been begun.

Food Sale Here Tomorrow

Continued

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Senate Group Regards Our Ally as Shield Against Germany's Aims

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—While Germany has been vanquished for the present, "nothing but force is likely to restrain her from seeking world domination at the earliest opportunity," in the opinion of the senate judiciary sub-committee appointed to report on the validity of the proposed treaty by which the United States would go to the aid of France in the event of an unprovoked attack by Germany.

In holding that ratification of the special defensive treaty is within the constitutional powers of the treaty-making bodies of the American government, the sub-committee in its report today submitted to the full committee said it was for the interest of the United States that France should be allowed to recuperate and recover her old time vigor.

"She will then," said the report, "be a great shield and protection to us against the German menace in the future." The report was written by Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, in collaboration with Senators Nelson and Kellogg, both of Minnesota and Fall, New Mexico, republicans, and Senator Overman, North Carolina, democrat, constituting the sub-committee.

"It will be seen," the report said, "that the covenant only aims at protection against Germany and that it is of a temporary character to be merged in and substituted by the authorities of the League of Nations when that is established and put into operation."

AERIAL DERBY THRILLS TWO NATIONS

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Interest in aviation on this continent today centered in the international races with one set of fliers starting from Toronto for New York and New York fliers, starting from the flying field at Mineola, L. I., starting to race to the Canadian metropolis.

There was some considerable delay at Mineola, due to atmospheric conditions. The scheduled starting time had been 9 a. m. but the aerial derby did not get away from Mineola until 1:55 and the first pilot to start was Leut. P. H. Logan flying a Pere machine, with Sergt. W. J. Shackelford as his navigator. More than 40 fine machines were at Roosevelt field, Mineola, ready for the start and the officials expected to send them away in three groups. It was planned to have the first plane reach Albany in an hour and ten minutes after leaving Mineola with others expected to arrive at close intervals.

The first plane to leave Toronto took off at 12:25. In the take-off an Oriole piloted by Roland Rolfe turned turtle and the other machines were called back. No one was hurt but it caused a delayed start of course. Rolfe was able to start also and he was followed by Sergt. Coombs in a De Havilland. The first stop of the Toronto-New York flight was Buffalo and Sergt. Coombs was first to arrive at Buffalo. He made Buffalo at 1:25. He was followed by Major Schroder who landed at 1:31 and at 1:32 Capt. Cook arrived. Rolfe reported running into two storms over Lake Erie and encountering a 125 mile gale. The aviators landed in Buffalo in the midst of a hard rain storm.

WALSH AMENDMENTS REJECTED IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—With the hope of reaching a final vote before adjournment the senate today resumed consideration of the bill for the leasing and development of government-owned oil, gas, coal and phosphate lands.

Amendments by Senator Walsh of Massachusetts, to eliminate the maximum royalty provisions under the oil and coal sections and to reduce from 20 years to 15 years, the period for which oil and gas leases would be granted were defeated. The senate also rejected another amendment by Senator Walsh designed to prevent the "watering" of mining stocks.

PULMOTOR EXPLODES TWO RESCUERS HURT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 25.—Henry J. Kramer, who with 30 Boston men came here on an automobile outing yesterday was drowned in Scott's pond, Saylesville, last night, and Everett Dietrich and John Bunston, companions, were severely burned when a pulmotor, with which they were working upon Kramer's body, burst, spraying the contents over the two.

When Kramer's body was recovered, it had been in the water hardly more than five minutes, and a pulmotor was hurried to the scene. The instrument had hardly got into operation, however, when it exploded. Dietrich and Bunston were taken to a hospital and later released.

HONDURAS REBELS HAVE BAD DEFEAT

SAN SALVADOR, Republic of Salvador, Sunday, Aug. 24.—Honduran revolutionary forces have been defeated and scattered with a loss of many killed, wounded and missing by government troops in the neighborhood of Santa Resa near the Guatemalan frontier, according to an official Honduran despatch.

BLAME GERMANS FOR TERROR IN SILESIA

PARIS, Aug. 25.—Germany has declined to invite allied troops to police Silesia before they have that right under the treaty which stipulates that they are to safeguard the plebiscite there. The Silesian situation is unsatisfactory and the Germans are reported to be bringing about a recrudescence of the recent reign of terror in that province.

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Six From Lowell and Seven From Surrounding Towns Join No. Dakota Crew

Lowell's young men continue to sign up for the U.S.S. North Dakota, the big dreadnought now at Rockport. Chief Carey of the local naval recruiting station forwarded six local men to the ship today, as well as four from Chelmsford, two from Haverhill and one from Lawrence; and he plans to send along another batch tomorrow.

Those enlisted today were: Stari Morrill, 701 Merrimack street, boiler-maker; Daniel Powers, 805 Lakeview avenue, apprentice; George Scarlett, 1145 Lakeview avenue, apprentice seaman; Seymour Priestley, 31 Leverett street, apprentice seaman; George Cot, 15 Melroy street, fireman, third class; George Gellman, 46 Acton st., apprentice seaman; William Brooks, R.F.D. No. 143, East Chelmsford, apprentice seaman; Frank Welsh, North Chelmsford, apprentice seaman; John Tansey, No. Chelmsford, apprentice seaman, and Charles Carkins, No. Chelmsford, apprentice seaman.

Frank Pirak was the Lawrence man signed up for the ship, and the Haverhill men were William Buckley and Raymond Colburn.

ROBBERS GET \$12,000

Hub Bank Messenger Relieved of Bread Money by Four Men, in Taxi

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Ray Scott Guernsey, a bank messenger, employed by the Fidelity Trust company, was held up today by four men who stole \$12,000 which he was taking to the bank from the office of the Grocers' Baking company, in the Roxbury district.

Guernsey was in a taxicab and had just driven through the gates at the baking plant when four men climbed aboard the machine. One of them took his seat beside the chauffeur, Nicholas J. Volpe and pressing a revolver to his head, ordered him to drive down the street and make no outcry. The other three men entered the cab and forced Guernsey to hand over the money which he had just collected from the baking company for deposit in the bank.

After driving some distance, the man on the front seat forced Volpe to get out of the machine while the robber took charge of the wheel. A little further on Guernsey was thrown out and the four men made off in the taxicab.

The holding occurred shortly before noon but so far as the police were able to learn, no one in the vicinity noticed what was taking place. All the men were armed but did not wear masks and Guernsey was able to give a good description of them. The money is said to have been largely in cash and checks.

WINCHESTER PARSON SEES SECOND COMET

CAMBRIDGE, Aug. 25.—Discovery of a second new comet in three days by the Rev. Joel H. Metcalf, was announced today by the Harvard college observatory. After picking up in the eastern sky on August 20 the first of the year's new star stars, Mr. Metcalf reported that on the night of the 22nd at 11 o'clock he found in Bootes' constellation in the western sky, another uncharted body, more conspicuous than the first. The position was given as 14 hours, 5 minutes, plus 27 degrees, and the discoverer said it could be seen with a small telescope.

BOURQUE WINS RACE

In a close and exciting swimming race at the municipal swimming pool on the boulevard yesterday afternoon, Walter Bourque, amateur champion of Lowell, defeated William Lyness of Pawtucketville. The race was across the river and back. Lyness led on the journey over but about 100 yards from the finish Bourque uncoiled a sprint which brought him home a winner by 10 yards. The other race for the championship of the Billerica car shops between Thomas G. Gaughan and Starr Morrill resulted in a victory for Gaughan.

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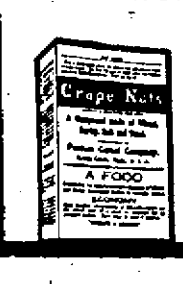
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AID UKRAINIAN JEWS CAMPAIGN TO INCREASE LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP FEAR LABOR SHORTAGE IN THE COTTON BELT

U. S. Urged to Help as 10,000 Have Been Massacred in Past 7 Months

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The committee of Jewish delegations at the peace conference in Paris has urged the necessity of sending a large relief commission into the Ukraine to prevent further massacres of Jews there, according to a cablegram from General Secretary Motzkin of the committee, made public here today by the American Jewish congress.

Mr. Motzkin asserts that "Judaism in Ukraine is threatened with extermination" although the Ukrainian delegation in Paris has stated that it will endeavor to prevent further pogroms. He pointed out that the presence of the general French commission in Kamenez Podolsk, the seat of the Petliura government, proves the possibility of penetrating the Ukraine. Ten thousand Jews have been massacred in the Ukraine during the last seven months, it is asserted.

RED CROSS SUPPLIES

Paris Office Denies Report That Large Quantity of Merchandise Sold

PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 23.—In a statement which it says is issued because of many inaccurate reports concerning large sales of Red Cross merchandise, the American Red Cross explains that he only materials which have been sold are certain perishable goods, second-hand equipment, surplus stocks and articles which are no longer of any use in direct relief work in either France or eastern Europe.

The total sales of such materials in Europe, the statement says, aggregated thirty million francs, while the value of the relief materials distributed in Europe during the months of July and August amounted to more than 100,000,000 francs.

Sales of surplus materials, the statement adds, were authorized in France and have been conducted through the American Red Cross liquidation board.

ANXIOUS TO ENLIST FOR MEXICAN SERVICE

The recent punitive expedition into Mexico after the bandits who captured two air service officers and held them for ransom has stimulated recruiting at the local army recruiting station at 117 Merrimack street. Many applicants have presented themselves for service on the border and several have already been enlisted. The critical situation in Mexico and the present interest taken by congress in the Mexican trouble have caused much speculation as to whether the government is about to act in a more forceful manner and a number of local men have stated to Sgt. McLeod, in charge of recruiting in Lowell, that they want to be on the border for whatever turns up. The experiences of the men of old Co. M several years ago have not been forgotten.

350 AT SPRINGFIELD DEFY OPEN SHOP

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 25.—About 350 employees of the National Equipment Co. walked out today when asked to sign agreements not to affiliate with labor unions. The company has announced its intention of to employ union labor.

COLLIE DOG found; owned may have by calling at 19 Arthur st. and paying for this ad.

DABY'S RING found on Pelham car. Owner may have by paying for this ad and proving property. White A44.

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OUR TROOPS BACK IN U. S.

Punitive Forces Resume Patrol of Border—Work in Mexico Highly Successful

MARFA, Tex., Aug. 25.—Three hundred and seventy-five American cavalrymen who last Tuesday entered Mexico in pursuit of the bandits who held Lieut. H. G. Peterson and Paul N. Davis, for ransom, were back on American soil today, following abandonment of the chase yesterday. The troops today resumed patrol of the border.

Heavy rains yesterday which obliterated the trails of the bandits brought a decision to abandon the chase after contact had been made with Carranza troops.

The troops began at 11 o'clock to

cross the river at Rocky Ford, seven miles from Ruidosa. The main column was delayed for two hours because of a heavy rain storm.

During the six days the American punitive expedition was below the border four bandits were killed by the troops and another by airplane, while nine bandits are reported to have been captured at Coyame by Carranza soldiers. The captured bandits are said to have been members of the Jesus Renteria band which captured Lieut. Peterson and Davis.

Lieut. George K. Rice and U. S. R. R. American army aviators who were reported missing below the Rio Grande, yesterday after they had left Ruyon field for Mexico to reconnoiter for the punitive expedition, were located last night at Terlingua, Tex. They had become lost in the rainstorm and made a forced landing. Neither flier was injured.

A report brought to the border by Lieut. Peterson that Jesus Renteria, leader of the bandits, was killed by

American airmen could not be confirmed. The cavalry troops came out of Mexico in excellent condition and without casualties.

WORCESTER SCREW CO. PLANT ON STRIKE

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—The plant of the Worcester Machine Screw Co., virtually was tied up today by a strike of 200 employees whose demand for an increase of 10 per cent. in pay was refused.

BIG WAGE BOOST

St. Louis Sheet Gives Editorial Workers 40 P. C.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 25.—A bonus of 20 per cent. on salaries from Jan. 1 to Aug. 22, was distributed today by the Pulitzer Publishing Co., to editorial and other employees of the St. Louis Post Dispatch, except mechanical workers under union contracts, as an emergency measure to meet the extraordinary increase in the present cost of living.

It was announced that another bonus of 20 per cent. dating from Aug. 22 would be paid at the end of the present year. St. Louis newspaper writers recently organized a union.

Lowell in Grip of Storm

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to a single fire caused by lightning and as far as is known, nobody was injured.

It was about three o'clock when the mass of black clouds that stole over the city from the west resolved into a heavy downpour. A cooling wind that at times resembled a winter gale preceded the rain and gave

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BOSTON SYMPHONY'S NEW LEADER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Pierre Monteux, new leader of the Boston Symphony orchestra, chosen to succeed Karl Muck interned for alleged pro-German activities and who sailed for Europe last week, arrived here today on the French liner Lorraine from Havre, accompanied by his wife and children. He brought with him the works of several new French composers which will be rendered in this country, but said that German music will have its place on his program. A delegation representing the orchestra met him at the pier.

chilling warning to those in the parks, commons and nearby resorts who had sought to escape the heat. In some parts of the city hall fell and in the territory between Chelmsford and Littleton observers noted hailstones as large as marbles. For a time the ground was so covered with these particles as to give the impression that snow had fallen.

The telephone company had its usual quota of electrical storm troubles but the repair force made the inconvenience of short duration and today everything was practically normal again. The Western Union's local manager reported that no damage to that company's local lines had been brought to his attention.

Car Lines Damaged

The storm caused considerable damage on the lines of the street railway but luckily no one was injured. Traffic on the Christian Hill line was tied up for two hours in the early evening as the result of a large maple tree falling across the wires at Beech and Sixth streets. In its descent, the tree brought down not alone the trolley wires, but the electric light and telephone wires as well. A wrecking crew soon removed the debris.

An outward-bound Woburn car was struck by lightning in North Billerica at 5 p. m. and totally disabled. The passengers received a momentary scare, but were otherwise uninjured.

Another falling tree on the Broadway line held up traffic for a few moments in the latter part of the afternoon, but the emergency wire crew made short work of the trouble.

During the storm no cars ran beyond Meadow road on the Pelham and Canobie Lake line as the Northeastern Co., which furnishes power beyond that point, decided to shut down its power until the storm passed.

The storm continued intermittently through the afternoon and early evening and the lightning display was at times most brilliant. Toward the close of the storm, heat lightning began to play over the city and brought forth flashes of more than usual duration.

Thermometer Drops 15 Degrees

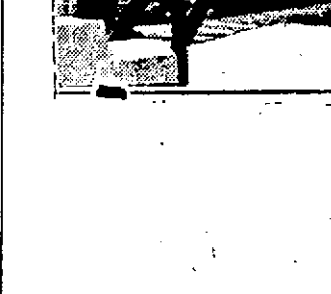
The thermometer took a sudden drop with the coming of the storm. At noon it registered 83 degrees, at 3 p. m. had dropped to 76 and at 8 o'clock last evening went down to 68. The sky remained overcast and there were showers this morning.

The large flagpole on the Talbot mill plant in North Billerica proved an attraction for the lightning when the storm was at its height and as a result was felled to the ground.

Other surrounding towns had reports of trees being struck or blown down, and in one or two cases stacks of hay in the fields were blown in all directions.

The volume of the downpour at the beginning of the storm caused damage to a few cellars, but nothing of a serious nature was reported. Lakeview for many Lowell people during the day and the sudden storm taxed the inbound car service to capacity. It was easily the season's biggest electrical storm.

"MEDICINAL TANK" TO COMBAT DISEASE



NEW YORK.—Uncle Sam has organized a "medicinal tank" to prevent the spread of tuberculosis and other diseases. It is a traveling clinic, fitted with a dressing room, medical cabinet, examination scales, writing table and chairs. A physician and two nurses accompany the "tank" as it penetrates into remote rural sections where medical aid is hard to obtain.

SIGN PULLMAN CONTRACT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The railroad administration today signed a contract with the Pullman Co. for an annual rental of \$11,750,000.

May Walk Out Wednesday

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gan to vote at 12 noon, today and will continue until the polls close at 7 p. m. The following five questions are on the ballot, calling for a flat Yes or No vote:

1. In view of the report of the joint conference board to the members of the various divisions, do you accept the revision of the award of August 12, 1919?
2. Are you willing to submit in accordance with the recommendation of the international president the question of wages to a new arbitration board, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employees and the third by the two chosen?
3. Are you willing to accept the recommendation of the international officers and the joint conference board and counsel that the validity of the award in accordance with the question in the report be referred as therein described to three trustees, one to be selected by the trustees, one by the employees and the third by the two

chosen?

4. Shall this division suspend work if no agreement can be reached within a reasonable time upon questions two and three?

5. Shall the time when suspension of work goes into effect be left to the sub-committee of five of the joint conference board?

While it is not possible to forecast the result of the vote, opinion throughout the system leads to the belief that the \$300 or more employees will register an intention to strike. The hour at which the suspension of work will go into effect, rests with the sub-committee of five of the joint conference board and while no definite time has been set, it is believed that if the men vote to reject the award of the war board and to go on strike as a protest, providing no agreement can be reached between the public trustees and the joint conference board "within a reasonable time," the strike order will go into effect at an early hour on Wednesday.

The carmen interpret the phrase "within a reasonable time" included in question 4 as meaning within the prudence of the international union officers. The trustees already have rejected the plan for a revision of the award by three lawyers. They main-

tain the attitude that there is a binding moral obligation to abide by the war labor board's award, as the sanctity of the principle of arbitration is involved. Union leaders assert that the arbitrators stated that discussion of the award might be re-opened in event of "changed conditions."

The vote in Lowell will be counted tonight and sent to Boston for tabulation and the result of the entire system's ballot will probably be made known tomorrow.

The following statement was made last night by the trustees of the road: "The joint conference board and Counsel Vahey now crying 'illegal' and demand another arbitration. This is a unique method of trying to evade obeying the arbitration award of the national war labor board."

"Arbitration would be worthless if the award made by two arbitrators appointed by President Wilson, namely, ex-President Taft, representing the public, and Basil M. Manly, representing labor, could be repudiated on such a flimsy excuse. "We feel certain that the men are not going to deliberately refuse to abide by the award granting them a wage increase of 13.4 per cent., notwithstanding rumors to the contrary. "Again we wish to say that we firmly believe it would be for the best interests of the public to submit to a strike rather than to abandon the most important principle of arbitration, the agreement to abide by the award."

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